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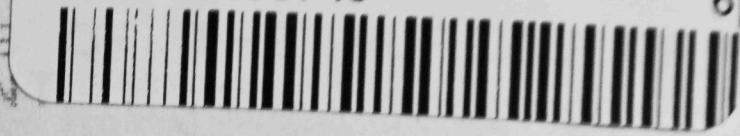

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FROM 188 TO 188

6 1883, March,

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch		Feb	
1	213	28	Rec'd C/D for $150,000. a/c Minor Coinage Profits.
1	214	28	Rec'd Statement Silver Purchased, Feb 1 to 15/83.
1	215	28	Requests 2 Proof sets of '82 & '83.
		Mch	
2	216	1	To coin 900,000, S.S. d's in March/83.
2	217	1	Purchase of 50,000 ozs Silver, 1.1120 – 1.1123.
2	218	1	Has recommended an advance of $50,600. for March Expenses. Requests partial a/c of Ordy Expenses for Feb/83, to reduce balance on hand.
2	219	1	Purchasing rate of Silver $1.11 per oz fine
2	220	1	$1,000,000 to be placed to Supt's credit with Asst Treas. N.Y.
2	221	1	Mails 150 Minor Coin Circulars No. 18, Feb 24/81.
3	222	2	Rec'd Special assay coins for Feb/83.
3	223	2	Mails 10 copies, each, of Special Report for 1880, & 1881.
3	224	2	Resignation of Miss Pauline Blake, Adj.
5	227	3	Forwards additional Table dollar distances.

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1883, March

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch		Mch	
5	228	3	Rec'd Statement of Silver Purchased Feb. 16 to 28/83.
5	229	3	Examined, approved & referred, Ordy, Repr & S. S. de Exp a/c's for January/83.
5	230	3	Forwards missent letter & draft.
6	234	5	Purchasing rate of Silver 1.11¼ ¢ per oz. fine.
6	235	6	(Tel) When will you be in Wash.
7	238	5	Wants separate Statements of Nickel bought & Coined.
7	239	6	Sends dft $50. for 5 ¢ nickels, ordered by telegraph. [Tel. filed herein]
7	240	6	Rec'd Statement Minor Coinage operations for Feb. /83.
8	245	7	Requisitions for 60 Dies of 1883, for the San Francisco Mint.
8	246	7	Sends dft $41.50 for set of Gold Coins of 1883.
8	247	7	In reference to the Secretary's request to see the Supt at Washington, about the 5 ¢ nickel.
1	248	7	Approving the removal of John Lord, Coining Room.

1883, March

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch		Mch	
9	249	8	Sends copy of letter from U.S. Geological Survey, specifying the Nickel Statistics Wanted.
9	250	8	Purchase of Silver; 225,000, ozs.
9	251	8	Wants 5 Statements, specified, for February, 1883.
10	253	9	Reports reduction in Adams Express rates on Gold & Silver Bullion & Coin.
12	256	10	Rec'd C.D. $1078.33 Refinery Charges
12	257	10	Rec'd C.D. $53.03 Other than Refinery charges.
12	258	10	Rec'd M & R's & Coiner's Receipts & Deliveries for Feb/83.
12	259	10	Mails 1,000 Reports Minor Coin deliveries
13	261	12	Mails 1 Book Coiner's Receipts for Planchets.
13	262	12	Requisition needed for "Press Copying Books". Blanks enclosed.
14	266	13	Sup't to bring with him impressions of the 5¢ nickel, with the word "Cents" on it.
15	269	14	Sends dp't [illegible] for 5¢ ordered by Telegraph. (Tel filed herein)

1883, March

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch			
15	270	14	Appraving transfer & appt of John C. Hunteman, to the Cabinet, in the Genl dept, vice Jessa Lightfoot, assigned.
16	271	15	Secretary approves samples 5¢ nickel, with "cents" omitted.
16	272	15	Purchase of 250,000 oz. Silver. 1.1128. 1.1130.
16	273	15	Report assay of Special coins for January 1883.
17	274	16	New design for 5¢ Nickel approved, & Coinage to proceed.
17	275	16	Report & Bill of Stationery for 1883 approved & charged.
17	276	16	Sends dft for 10. in two ½ Eagles.
17	277	16	Joseph Brice's decd N. Y. deceased from official Register
17	278	16	Appg appt of Joseph R. Sowden, as a Night Watchman
19	280	17	Appg transfer and appt of Chas. P. Hilliker, as a Night Watchman
19	281	17	Appg appt of Miss Emma Fress, as an Adjuster.
19	282	17	Do. do. Miss Matilda Beam, Adjuster

1883, March

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch 19	283	17	Appg appt of Miss A. F. Baker, as an Adjuster
19	284	17	Mails 1 Book Silver Purchases sent to the Refinery.
20	289	19	Forwards copy of Secretary's Letter about L. S. Medals; & copy of the Act.
20	290	19	Requisition for 24 S. S. d. Dies for the New Orleans Mint.
20	291	19	Purchasing rate for Silver @ $1.11 per oz. fine.
20	292	19	Draft for $5.93 for Proof Coins, rec'd will be sent in about 10 days
21	297	20	Mint price of Silver 110 2/10 cents per ounce fine.
21	298	20	Sends $1. for proof 5¢ pc of 1883, old style.
21	299	20	Mails 1. Coiner's Journal of Gold Bullion rec'd & del'd. 2. Foreman's Silver Melting Book.
22	302	21	Wants Statements for January & February 1883, of Balances of Bullion & Coin, belonging to the Bullion Ap's.
22	303	21	Has req. tr. of $20,000, in 1¢ N to make 5¢ pc

1883, March

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch		Mch	
22	304	21	Rec'd off. oath of Joseph R. Sonder, N. Watchman, Genl dept.
24	310	22	Purchase of 175,000 Silver Bullion, 1.1029 @ 1.1040.
24	311	22	Error in the Minutes of the Assay Commissioners, reporting Phila mass, as 902, instead of 900.2 cannot now be corrected, except by marginal note.
24	312	22	Index Book called for, must be on Requisitions for Stationery. The Blanks named will be forwarded as soon as rec'd from the Printer.
24	313	23	Rec'd Statements on Form # 223, for January & Feb. /83. And on Form # 193, for February /83.
24	314	22	Mails 200 Blank Statements of Silver Purchases.
24	315	23	Mails 4 G. & S. Work Books, M & R
26	317	24	In further reference to the Cashier's Daily Statement of Payments & Balances.
26	318	24	(Tel) Verifying Telegram Rate given of Seligman & Co.'s Silver is correct

1883, March, April.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch 28	323	Mch 27	Sends dft $50. for 5 ¢ pr to Auburn, N.Y.
30	324	29	Insists upon change in Cashiers Daily Statement of Payments & Balances. Sends form used at S. F. Mint, to be used on Friday, March 30/83.
30	326	29	Purchase of Silver, 50,000, ozs. @ 1.1069.
30	327	29	Mails 1 Book Certificates & Receipts for Gold Receipts.
31	329	30	Secretary has approved design No. 1. for Attachment to Life Saving Medal. (1 Enclosure)
31	330	30	Mails 5 printed Blank Books, for Mint use — M & R.
31	331	30	Mint price of Silver, $1.1070 per oz. fine.
			April, 1883.
Apl 2	334	Mch 31	Amendments to the Adams Express contract (Gold & Silver coin & Bullion) go into Effect April 1. 1883.
3	336	Apl 2	To Coin 1,000,000, S.S.d's in April
3	337	2	Rec'd Special Assay Coins for March, 1883.

1883, April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl		Apl	
3	338	2	Mails 1 Storekeeper's Ledger
3	339	3	(Tel) Forward February Exp. A/c's, to day if possible.
3	340	2	Sends $5. for 5¢ Nickels.
4	342	3	Mint price of Silver, 110½¢ per oz. fine
4	343	3	Forwards additional Table of S.S.d. distances.
4	344	3	Wants Ordy Exp. A/c's for February Law requires those A/c's to rendered within 10 days after close of the month.
4	345	3	Requisition approved for April, for $33,000. —
4	346	3	Has made Requisition for $10,000. from S.S.d. appr,
4	347	3	Has requested advance of $800. for Refinery Expenses.
4	348	3	Rec'd off. oath of Emma Tress, Adjuster.
4	349	3	Rec'd off. oath of Anna F. Baker, Adjuster
4	350	3	Rec'd off. oath of Matilda Bean, Adjuster

1883, April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl 5	353	Apl 4	Examined, approved & referred Ordy, Refg, & S. S. d. Exp. Acts for February 1883.
5	354	4	$1,000,000. to be added to the B. F. & placed to Sufits credit with the Asst Treas. at N. Y.
5	353	4	Enquires why the name of John Wesley is not on the February Rolls.
5	356	4	To purchase 10 Bbls Basswood sawdust for the Carson Mint; & deliver to the Asst Q. Master for transportation.
6	357	5	(Tel) Verifying Telegram to send 4 pairs S. S. d. Dies to N. O. Mint. (Tel. filed herein.)
6	358	5	Purchase of Silver, 235,000, ozs 1.1065 to 1.1086.
6	359	5	Discrepancy between the Amt deposited for Old Material Sold, and amount reported.
6	360	5	Sends dft $5. for two 1/4 Eagles of 1883.
7	363	6	Approving removal of John Wesley, Labour, Genl dept
7	364	7	(Tel) Tel. me where Mr Snowden is.

1883, April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl		Apl	
9	367	7	Mutilated 3¢ & 5¢ wickels to the Amt of $12,765. in the hands of the Asst Treas, Phila; & $3,330.65 in the Redemption Fund, should be exchanged & recoined, to use the appropriation for that purpose.
9	368	7	(Tel) Can you be here Monday &c.
10	370	9	Rec'd C/D $438.34 old material sold.
10	371	9	Rec'd C/D $1.91 old material sold, 1st Quarter 1883.
11	375	10	Requests return of designs for Hawaiian Coinage, with suggestions.
11	376	10	Reports assays of February Coins.
11	377	10	A supply of new Daily Balance Sheets will be forwarded this week.
11	378	10	Mails 2,000 Assayers Silver Ingot Mems. & 1,000 No. 143, &c
12	380	11	Rec'd Statement of Silver Purchases Mch 16 to 31/83.
13	384	12	Rec'd C/D. for $150,000. Minn Coinage Profits.
13	385	12	Rec'd C/D. for $54. A/c Assays of Ores

1883, April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl		Apl	
13	386	12	Purchase of 180,000 ozs Silver, 1.1060 @ 1.1074
13	387	12	Returns Medal Fund Vouchers Signed.
13	388	12	Rec'd C/D. $1170. profits on Medals and Proof coins.
13	389	12	Requests certain facilities for Prof Thomas Eggleston, if practible.
13	390	12	Sends $ 2.50 for One 1/4 Eagle of /83.
14	391	13	Authorized to advertise Proposals for Nickels in "Eng Bulletin" & "North American".
14	392	13	Bill of Jas. B. Cowdery $18.26 for Sawdust has been forwarded to the Carson Mint for payment
16	397	14	How to adjust appropriations for Salaries & Wages for the current fiscal year.
16	398	14	Forwards an additional Table of S.S.D. distances.
16	399	14	Rec'd Medal Fund Ap's 1st 2/83
16	400	14	Mails 450 Cashier's Form #236
16	401	14	Sends $5. for old 5 ¢ pr of /83.

1883, April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apr 17	404	16	Miss Mary J. McKibbin, Adjuster, resigned dropped from the Official Register.
17	405	16	Rec'd 1/4 Eagle Sent 13th inst.
18	409	17	The loss on the recoinage of 3¢ nickels into 5¢ nickels, to be calculated on what they produce in 3¢.
18	410	17	Authorized to purchase "Registers of Official Correspondence," in Philadelphia.
18	411	17	Rec'd Bullion Ass's, 4th Quarter / 82
18	412	17	Rec'd C/D $897.27, Parting and Refining charges.
18	413	17	Rec'd C/D. for $144.59 other than Refining charges.
18	414	17	Mails 2,000 Blanks #105 B. & Assayers Reports on M & K's Silver Bars.
18	415	17	Sends $2.50 for 5 Half Dolls of the last 5 years, respectively.
19	418	18	Mint price of Silver 110¢ per oz fine.
19	419	18	To coin $10,000. in Dimes, for the Treasury.
19	420	18	Wants Men of the Recoinage of $35,000. Gold from Treas. U.S. T.O. 11201.

1883, April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apr		Apr	
19	421	18	Mails 1,000 Assaying Reports #70.
19	421½	18	Index Book, & 1st Mem. G.B. dep'd will be sent as soon as rec'd.
20	422	19	Rec'd Designs for Hawaiian Coinage. Wants estimate of the cost of preparing hubs for the dies.
20	423	19	Purchase of 150,000 oz Silver 1.1045 @ 1.1050.
20	424	19	Homer L. Pound, Ass't in Assay Dep't, resigned, has been dropped from the Official Register
20	425	19	Approving increase in the compensation of Alvin M. S. Brinkle, Ass't in the Assay Dep't from $2 to $3.50 per diem.
21	428	20	Enquires if $2,780.19 in Minor Coins, Shipped on T.O. was correct in amount.
21	429	20	Returns for Correction Certificate of Gold Deposit #1779, for Signature of Superintendent. Also Mint Receipt #1606, to verify endorsements.
21	430	12	Mails 1,000 Forms #143.
23	435½	21	Requisition for Supplies for the Denver Mint.
23	436	21	Registers of Deposits & Purchases will be forwarded as soon as rec'd from Printer.

1883, April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl 24	439	Apl 23	Ten time for the delivery of the Silver sold by Handy & Smith, 12th inst. extended 2 days.
25	440	24	Approving accepted Proposal of Joseph Wharton, to furnish 20,000 lbs Nickel, @ $1.03 per lb
25	441	24	Sends copy of record of assay of samples of Gold from del. Jan 2 may 14/82, New Orleans Mint.
25	442	24	Approving Requisition for $10,000. additional for Wages of Workmen, (additional)
26	444	25	Mails 1,000 Assayers Silver Deposit Memos.
27	448	26	Purchase of 155,000 ozs Silver
27	449	25	Joseph Wharton's Proposal for Nickel was not received at the Mint Bureau.
28	450	27	Approving appt of Wm Patten as Annealer.
28	451	27	Appg appt of John L. Webster, as a Laborer, Coin dept.
28	452	27	Appg appt of Anna Zeller as an Adjuster
28	453	27	Appg appt of Rebecca A. Mears, Adjuster

1883, April, May,

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl 30	455	Apl 28	Mails 100 Supt's Blanks, #232.
30	456	30	(Tel) Cannot accept Surplus Silver delivered by Seligman at 1.1035.

May 1883.

May 1	457	Apl 30	Can buy 2 lots of Seligman Surplus Silver at Mint rate for less than 10000 $.
1	457½	30	The loss on the Exchange of 3¾ps into 5¾ps is the cost of the additional metal required; in this case about $ 60.
1	458	30	Sends dft for $30. for 30 Gold Dollars per Registered mail.
1	459	30	Sends for pay't, Bill of the "Evening Bulletin" $11.25 for advg Proposals for Nickels.
1	460	30	Sends dft $6.83 for Proof coins.
1	461	30	Forwards piece Gold Bullion. Returns proceeds to Mint Bureau, less Express Charges both ways. [Telegram filed herein]
1	462	30	Verifying Telegram (Apl 30) Cannot accept Seligman's Surplus Silver @ 1.1035.
1	463	30	Forwards 100 Blank State-ments, #233.
2	464	May 1	Paid Stationery Bill $18.24 ps March / 83.

1883, May

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 2	465	May 1	Verifying Telegram describing Bullion sent yesterday
2	466	2	(Tel) Appointment of Elliott as Warrant Clerk, is approved, to take effect to day.
3	468	2	Recd Special assay Coins for April 83. $14.
3	469	2	To coin 1,000,000, Silver Dollars in May 1883.
3	470	2	May Requisition for $39,000. approved.
3	471	2	Has requested $800. for Refining.
3	472	2	Approving appt of Julian M. Elliott as Warrant Clerk at $1700. per annum.
3	473	2	Recd off. oath of John T. Webster Laborer in the Assay dept.
4	475	3	Bullion a/c 1st Quarter 83, should be there & be Examined before close of the current fiscal year.
4	476	3	Purchase of Silver Bullion 153,000 ozs - 1.1030 @ 1.1035.
5	477	4	Mails 1,000 Memorandum of Gold Bullion deposited.

1883, May

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 7	480	May 4	Wants Vouchers for Expressage paid, Medal Fund A/c, 1st Quarter 1883.
7	481	5	Have made Requisition for 3 Blank Books, as requested.
8	484	7	Requisition for Standard Guages for height of piles of D. E., E., & 1/2 E. at Carson Mint.
8	485	7	(Tel) Verifying Telegram to reduce Mint price of Silver to 109 3/4 cents per oz fine. [Tel. filed herein]
8	486	7	Forwards corrected & revised Table of Express distances, to take effect Apl 1/83. Make changes & return.
8	487	7	Forwards an additional Table of Silver Dollar distances.
8	488	7	Complaint about Express Charges on Coins to Nat. Ex. Bk, Newport, R. I.
8	489	7	Rec'd off. oath of Anna B. Zeller, Adjuster.
8	490	7	Rec'd off. Oath of William Patten, Annealer, Coiner's dept
9	491	8	Mint price of Silver, 109 6/10 cts per ounce fine.

1883, May

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
9 May	491½	8 May	Rec'd & appd Supts Report on the causes of a deficient coin by the N. O. Mint, detected at the last Annual Assay.
9	492	8	Form No. 223, is superseded by Form No. 232, Monthly Balances Bullion a/cs.
9	493	8	Wants duplicates of missing Express Receipts for Medals received.
9	494	8	Rec'd oath of Julien M Elliott, Warrant Clerk, gen'l dep't
10	495	9	Supt authorized to purchase certain Books in Phila
11	500	10	The Cashier not to include the Balance belonging to the Ord'y a/c in that belonging to the Minor Coinage a/c.
11	501	10	How soon will the Dies in the L.S. Medals & attachments be completed?
11	502	10	Purchase of Silver Bullion. 100,000 oz — 1.109, 98, 99.
12	505	11	Will shortly take steps to secure uniform diameter & thickness of coins struck at the different Mints.
12	506	11	Wants number of each denomination of old issues Minor Coins, in Cashier's Statement of May 10. 1883.

1883, May

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 12	507	May 11	Wants Statement for April 1883, (Form 193) Silver Bullion Purchases, Coinage & Transfers.
14	511	12	Recd, Ordy, Refy & S. S. D. Expenses A/c's for March 1883.
14	512	12	Name of Ira S. Morey, N. M. Resigned, dropped from the Official Register
16	514	15	Recd Statement of denominations & Kinds of old mint coins on hand, May 10/83. All the old coins in the Redemption & Exchange A/c's to be recoined while the appn for last is available. Overtime to be allowed, if necessary.
16	515	15	Copper of the right quality can be bought without advertising when needed for immediate use. [2 Proposals filed herein]
16	516	15	Requests forms of Advertisement for Proposals for Supplies for the Fiscal Year, 1884.
17	524	16	Wants Explanation of discrepancies in Amt of Silver Bullion on hand, as per Statements of May 9th & May 12th/83.

1883, May

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 17	523	May —	Examined, approved & refered, Adj, Refj & S.A.d. Exp. A/c, for March /83.
18	523b	17	Purchase of Silver Bullion, 220,000, ozs — 1.0985 = '89.
18	524c	16	Introducing Hon Bendix Koppel, Charge d'affaires & Consul general to Denmark, for Colombia.
19	527	18	Mails 200 Pay Rolls, No. 48, to take the place of No. 5.
19	528	18	Weekly Statements of the Sub-divisions of the Bullion Fund must show the exact cost of the Silver Bullion on hand, & available for coinage; & the amt of Silver Dollars actually belonging to the B. F.
19	529	18	Edward C. Green, decd, Helper in the M&K dept, dropped from the Official Register.
19	530	18	Sends $1. for proof 5¢ pcs of /83, each kind, for Ex Speaker, J. Warren Kiefer, Springfield, O.
21	534	19	Recd Statement of Earnings and Expenditures for 1st Quarter 1883.
21	535	19	Recd Statement Silver Purchased May 1 to 15/83.

1883, May

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 21	536	May 18	Introducing Messrs. F. Marulanda, & N. Esquerra, Visitors.
21	537	19	Appg appt & transfer of Henry F. Wilson, N.W. as a Helper in the M&R dept.
21	538	19	Appg appt of David McKinley as a Night Watchman @ $2.75 vice Henry F. Wilson transferred to Helper in M&R dept.
21	539	19	Appg increase in the compensation of Miss Susan Dallas, Cabinet, genl dept, to $2.50
22	540	21	How many old style 5 ¢ ps. were struck & issued in 1883; & how many of the new without the word "Cents."
24	541	23	The Public Printer has been urged to hasten the completion of the Books ordered.
24	542	23	(H.C.B. to L.R.C.) Explaining the required sub-divisions of the Bullion Fund Statements.
24	543	23	Reports assay of Test Coins for March / 1883.
24	544	23	Sends $2. for "V" 5 ¢ ps without the word "Cents."

1883, May

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 24	545	May 23	Forwards for payt Bill $10.52 of the "North American" for advg Proposals for Nickel.
25	547	24	Purchase of Silver Bullion. 130,000 ozs - 1.14,25 @ 27.
25	548	25	(Tel) Wants 2 Silver Proof sets of 83 by Express. Draft by mail.
26	553	25	Wants copy of Wood contract. Should not advt for Proposals cover Wood from Jany 1/84 to June 30/84.
26	554	25	Has requested that $37,110.28 Silver Dollar Profits for the 4th Quarter of 1883, be deposited, & added to the Bullion Fund.
26	555	25	Wants Statement of Balance to credit of Silver Profit Fund, 31st March 83; & Bullion A/c's 1st Quarter 83, as soon as possible.
26	559	28	$1,000,000, to be placed to Supt's credit with the Asst Treas at N.Y.
28	560	26	Corrected name of Charles H Blackman, Night Watchman, has been entered on the Official Roll.
28	561	26	Wants bullion Value of Enclosed memorandated 30th for a deaf mute.

May, 1883,

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 29	565	May 28	Has requested that $387,140.24 Silver Dollar profits for the Quarter Ended March 31/83, be deposited to the Bullion Fund.
31	568	29	Wants 4 impressions in White Metal, of the new L.S. medals, and of the attachments.
31	569	29	(Tel) Verifying Telegram confirming rates for Seligman's Silver. [Tel. filed herein.]
31	570	29	Sends dft $6.08 for Proof Sets received.

June, 1883.

June 1.	575	May 31	Sends authority to advertise in the "Bulletin" & "News", for Proposals for Supplies for the Fiscal Year 1883-84, & for Wood from Jany 1/84, to June 30/84. Contracts for Supplies should be for the Fiscal year, not the Calendar Year, to correspond with the Appropriations.
1	576	31	Purchase of Silver, 90,000, ozs.
1	577	31	Requests return, for Substitution, C.D.'s #7166 & 7172, Silver Dollar Profits.
2	578	June 1	Mails 1 Index Book.

1883. June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June 4	578	June 2	Forwards authority to advertise for "Proposals for Supplies." Should have been sent in previous letter.
4	584	2	To coin 1,000,000 S.S. dis in June, 1883.
4	585	2	Requisition for June, 1883, approved, $61,040.73.
4	586	2	Has advanced full amt of appr for Wages & contingent expenses. Must reserve enough for certain adv'g Bills.
4	587	2	Has requested advance of $900. for Refinery expenses.
4	588	2	Rec'd Statement Minor Coinage Operations for May, 1883.
4	589	2	Rec'd C/D. $150,000, Minor Coinage Profits.
4	590	May 29	How to make out bill of Expenses to N. O. Mint.
5	591	June 4	To complete allotment of Coinage as early in June as possible, to prepare for the Annual Settlement, and resume early in July. Philadelphia & N.O. Mint must coin most of the Silver Dollars, hereafter.

1883, June,

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June		June	
5	592	4	95,944 ozs Std Silver at N. Y. A. Off. ready for transportation. Will any more bullion be needed this month for fractional silver, or should it be defined until the 1st proximo.
5	593	4	Mint price of Silver 1.10 cents per ounce fine.
5	594	4	Rec'd impressions in White Metal of L. S. Medals, and attachments.
5	595	4	Rec'd off. oath of David McKinley Watchman, Genl dept.
5	596	4	Calls special attention to serious errors in depositing charges collected in April/83.
5	597	4	Thomas Crosby, Door Keeper, deceased, dropped from the official Register, May 30/83
6	601	5	Correcting error in C.D. #5734 amt of Miscellaneous receipt.
6	602	5	Rec'd Special assay Coins for May/83.
6	603	5	Examined, app'd & ref'd Medal Fund a/c 1st 2/83.
6	604	5	Forwards ad'l Table of Distances, S. S. d's

1883. June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June 6	605	June 5	App'g transfer & appt of Geo. W. Brown, as Door Keeper, Genl dept.
6	606	5	App'g appt & transfer of Joseph R. Sander, as a Conductor in the Genl dept.
7	607	6	Enquiries probable Gold Coinage in June. Most of the Gold coin should be transferred to the Treasury, to facilitate the Annual Settlement.
7	608	6	Mails 1 Blotter — G. & S. Bullion — weight after melting.
8	610	7	Wants original drawing of Attachment to L.S. Medals, to be returned after inspection by Supt of L.S. Service.
8	611	7	Recalls the history of errors in depositing charges; & disclaims any reflections, &c.
8	612	7	Has changed Statement of Earnings & Expenditures for 4th Quarter /82, in the manner within stated.
8	613	7	Purchase of Silver, 215,000 ozs
8	614	7	Bill of Phillips & Jacobs, 100 Batteries on Potts Sent to Denver Mint for pay't.

1883 June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June 8	615	June 7	Examined, approved & referred Bullion Ass's 4th Quarter /82
8	616	7	Mails 25 blank Reports of Official postage Stamps used &c
9	617	8	Requisition for Gold L.S. Medals for Dominick J. Ryser, & Joseph Cardran, engraved & with attachments.
9	619	8	Rec'd Adj, Ref & S.S.d. Exp. Ass's for April /83.
9	620	8	Reports Special assay of April coins /83.
9	621	May 25	Introducing Thos. O. Ebaugh, Book Keeper, to the Comptroller of the Currency.
11	624	June 8	Enclosing Requisition from Gen S. V. Benet, War Dept for 21 Gold & 24 Silver Army Marksmanship Medals, with Bar & Pin & Cases.
11	625	9	Register of Deposits will be completed by the 1st proximo.
12	629	11	Returns Designs for attachments to L.S. Medals, which have been submitted to the inspection of the Supt of the L.S. service.

1883. June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June 12	630	June 12	Supt authorized to have printed 500 Blanks for Abstract Clerk's Reports of Charges collected.
13	633	12	As soon as the receipt of deposits for the current quarters A/c's is discontinued, parting, refining and toughening charges to be deposited, so that the Books of the Dept may show the Exact balance for the fiscal year to the credit of that fund.
13	634	12	When will the Supt be ready to begin the Annual Settlement, that a representative of the Bureau may be present
13	635	12	Supt authorized to have blank Bonds for Proposals for Supplies, printed.
13	636	12	Cases will be required for Army Marksmanship medals as heretofore.
13	637	12	Appg removal of Thomas H. Wilson, Roller.
13	638	12	Cannot change the Director's policy about Proposals for Wood. Any proposal can be rejected. Supt's decision about proposals for melting coal will be approved.

1883, June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June		June	
14	640	13	Verifying Telegram Army Marksmanship Medals were to have Bar, Pin, & Cases. Don't understand riders. [Tel. filed herein.]
14	642	13	The Bill for Counting Board & Stopper, for the Asst Treas. at Phila was $172.93 not $192.93; hence the difference of $20. in dft for June Expenses
14	643	13	Returns, informally, Supt's Bill of Expenses to N.O. Mint for such modifications as will pass the accounting officers.
14	645	13	Rec'd off. oath of Miss B. S. Mears, Adjusting.
15	647	14	Examined, approved & refund Ordy, Refy, & S.S.D. Exp. a/cs for April /83.
15	648	14	Purchase of Silver, 110,000, ozs.
16	652	15	Supt N.O. Mint instructed to send dft for $173. to refund Supt Snowden's Expenses to that institution to investigate deficient coinage.
18	654	16	Rec'd C/R. $927.16 Refinery charges for May /83.

1883, June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June 18	657	June 16	Rec'd C/Dr $94.84 charges other than Refining; May 1883.
19	662	18	Annual Statement of Earnings & Expenditures to show separately am't paid by the Mint, & the am't paid by the Department.
19	663	18	Supt authorized to procure a General Ledger in Phila. If desired will send printed headings of a Journal-Ledger prepared by the Book Keeper of the San Francisco Mint.
21	666	20	Requests return of enclosed sample headings of Journal-Ledger prepared by the Book Keeper of the S. F. Mint; after they are examined.
21	667	20	Verifying Telegram. The Designs for Hawaiian Coinage have been sent to the Agent of the Govt at San Francisco, for inspection. Will be sent to the Supt when returned. [Tele filed herein.]
22	671	21	Purchase of Silver - 285,000, oz
22	672	21	The appropriation for loss on re-coinage of Minor Coins will be available after July 1/83.
22	673	21	Rec'd St. Silver Purchase, June 1 to 15/83

1883 June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June 22	674	June 21	Returns, for correction, Statement of Silver Purchased, June 1-15/83
22	675	21	Book of Silver Ingot receipts No. 23, called for, with the forwarded as soon as rec'd from the Public Printer.
22	676	21	1,000 Notices Shipment Silver Dollars on 6/D's; & 2,000 envelopes called for, with be forwarded as soon as received from Printer.
23	678	22	Letter of June 8th requesting Sketches of the Designs for Hawaiian Coinage. Have telegraphed the Agent at San Francisco to return the original designs soon as possible. Hope he has not sent them to the Sandwich Islands.
25	681	23	Requisition for 6 Rev 6 Obv. Eagle Dies for Mint
25	682	23	Appropriations for the Philadelphia Mint for the Fiscal Year ending June 30/83.
25	683	23	Request to return of the enclosed letter from the Secy of the Interior, with the information called for, with regard to Medals for the Indian Service.

1883, June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June		June	
26	687	25	Reports assay of Test Coins for May, 1883.
27	691	26	Approved & referred Bullion a/c's First Quarter 83, except $126.59 carried to "Profit & Loss", instead of "Parting & Refining" a/c, & which must be corrected in the a/c's of the current Quarter; referring to this letter as authority.
27	692	26	Returns Statement of Earnings & Expenditures for First Quarter 1883, for Correction & return.
27	693	26	Mails 4 Registers of Deposits #188a
28	694	27	Has requested that the Treas. U.S. be reimbursed for $237.59 loss on recoinage of Minor Coins in the Redemption & Exchange Fund.
28	695	27	Verifying Telegram Designs for Hawaiian Coinage approved by the Agents [Tele filed herein]
29	698	28	Returns Designs for Hawaiian Coinage, approved. Dies to be prepared as soon as possible.
29	699	28	Purchase of Silver Bullion 190,000, ozs

1883. June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June		June	
29	700	28	Rec'd 21 Gold, 21 Silver, Army Marksmanship medals, with Bill $1,632.35 War Dept has been requested to send draft for the amount.
29	701	28	Drafts for $21.50 & $216.09 will be sent to the Supt & to the Treas. U. S. to settle loss on the Re Coinage of Minor Coins, from the M. C. Exchange & Redemption Fund.
29	702	28	Show to settle the Silver Wastage & loss on Sweeps sold during during the current fiscal year.
29	703	28	Rec'd & Verified corrected Statement of Earnings & Expenditures, 1st Quarter 1883
29	704	28	Enquiries from What source the .51 cents Miscellaneous charge was received.
30	706	29	App'g transfer & appt of T. W. Bricker, as a Roller.
30	707	29	App'g transfer & appt of Albert W. Singer as a Cutter.
30	708	29	App'g Do. Henry H. Haigh to Coining Room
30	709	29	App'g Do. Thos. Marsh to Cleaning Room

1883, July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
3 July	714½	2 July	Supt to utilize the old patterns & machinery of the Charlotte A. C. so far as possible; & sell the rest as old material. [4 papers filed herein.]
3	715	2	When will coinage operations be resumed.
3	716	2	$1,000,000. to be placed to Supt's cr with ~~Supt's~~ Ass't Treas. N.Y.
5	717	3	Wants List of Officers & Employes, July 1st for the Biennial Register. Must be forwarded by July 25.
5	718	3	Verifying Telegram: There are probably 4½ million Trade Dollars in circulation [Tele filed herein.]
5	719	3	The General Ledger should exhibit the exact amt of Gold & Silver coin paid. The plan proposed is approved in that respect
5	720	3	Rec'd Special assay coins for June 1883.
5	721	3	Verifying Telegram Dond understand dispatched Letter of 15th in relation to Gold pay'ts on Certificates not rec'd. [Tel. filed herein]
5	722	3	Forwards for pay't Bill $60.75 of the "Evening News" for adv'g for Proposals for Supplies.
6	724	5	Abstract Clerk to enter under "Mode of Pay't," the exact sum of Gold Coin it is possible to pay on Gold Deposits

1883, June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
July 6	725	July 5	Rec'd Statement of old material sold; & C.P. for proceeds $18.75
6	726	5	Requisition for July, approved. $60,500.—
6	727	5	Approving appt of Wm. F. Steel as Acting Coiner, pro tem.
6	728	5	Wants Statement of Silver Purchases for June (Form 193) as soon as possible.
7	732	6	Supt to report weekly on Wednesday the Amt of Silver delivered on Department purchases. Also, Local purchases. Authorized to get Blanks printed for the purpose.
7	733	6	Enquires the probable number of Silver Dollars that can be coined in July, inst.
7	734	6	Returns vouchers for 3 Gold L.S. Medals, sent June 26/83.
10	737	9	Verifying Telegram — Amount of Silver Purchases from Seligman & Co. Boston & Colo. Sm. Co. & Standy & Conise 190,000 o.z. [Tel. filed herein.]
10	738	9	Mails Book of Distances for transportation of Silver coin.

1883, July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
July 11	741	July 10	Mint price of Silver 110½ ¢ per oz. fine.
11	742	10	The appr'n for Ores & Coins for the Cabinet for the current fiscal year is $300.
11	743	10	Has requested transfer from N. Y. A. Off. of 95,944 " ozs. Standard Silver Bullion, to be converted into fractional Silver coin.
11	744	10	The Melting charge may be remitted on Trade Dollars, exclusively.
11	745	10	The Sec'y of the Interior Enquires the Exact cost of 1 Silver and 1 Bronze Medal, from each of the Indian Medal Dies now at the Mint.
11	746	10.	The Edition of the U. S. Treasury Register is Exhausted.
13	749	12	Approving Sup'ts Award of Contracts for Supplies for the Fiscal Year ending June 30. 1884. Acids held over for further consideration.
13	750	12	To Coin 1,000,000, Silver Dollars in July /83.
13	751	12	Purchase of Silver & Bullion 190,000 ozs. 1.10,88 to $96.

1883, July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
July 14	752	July 13	Wants Assay Medal for Prof J. E. Hilgard, Assay Commissioner.
14	753	13	Requisition has been made for copy of the Biennial Register of 1881, — the latest.
16	754	14	Supt authorized to invite Proposals for refined Nitric Acid, from all firms in Phila making that article & accept the lowest and best bid received.
16	755	14	Rec'd Medal Fund A/c & Vouchers, Quarter ending June 30/83.
16	756	14	App'g increase in the compensation of Geo. H. Harmstad Messenger in the Genl Dept. $3.50 to $4.00 per diem.
16	757	13	Do. do. Llewellyn B. Snowden, Weigher in the Assay Dept. $3.75 to $4.75 per diem
16	758	14	Mails 4 Books "Coiner's Record of planchets received"; & "Deliveries of base coin."
17	762	16	Rec'd Supt's & Coiner's Reports of Medals & Proof Coins manufactured and sold, for the Quarter ended June 30/83.

1883, July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
July 17	763	July 16	Express rates charged on Silver coins to six places named.
17	764	16	Sends $1.35 for Proof Minor Coins.
19	767	18	Returns 3 Gold L.S. Medals, with criticisms on the Attachments &c. by Sec'y Folger, and Charles Schlaar, the designer. To be made by a Jeweler, if necessary, as the Estimate of cost submitted and approved.
19	767½	18	To furnish Louisville Exposition full set of Bronze Medals – To be returned.
19	768	18	Verifying Tel. Reduce purchasing rate of Silver to 110 cts pr. oz. fine. [Tel. filed herein.]
20	770	19	Rec'd Ordy, Refy & S.S.D. Exp. a/c's for May, 1883.
20	771	19	Purchase of Silver Bullion, 325,000, ozs. 1.10,55, @ '65.
21	775	20	Rec'd. 1. Balance Sheet for the Fiscal Year 1882-83. 2. Statement of Settlement of Wastage & Loss by Sweeps, for the same period.
21	776	20	Rec'd Statement of Silver Purchased July 1 to 15/83.
21	777	20	Rec'd List of Employees, on 1st of July/83.

1883, July,

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
July 21	77820	July 20	Appg. appt of Robert Tate, as a Laborer, in the General Dept @ $2.75.
21	77920	20	Do. do. Thomas H. Wilson as a Melter, @ $3.00. per diem.
21	78020	20	Do do. Henry Harpham as a Night Watchman @ $2.75.
21	78120	20	Do. do. Joseph Brown as a Helper, in the M. & R. dept @ $2.90.
23	784	21	Returns Daily Statement of the Bullion Fund for July, 1883. No Statement in detail of the shipment of S.S. dis has been made since the 10th inst. Howard Thom.
24	786	23	To coin 1,000,000, S.S. dis in addition to the allotment for July 1883.
24	787	23	Verifying Telegram - Can you coin 200,000, S.S. dis in addition to the July allotment? [Tel. filed back in T]
24	788	23	Rec'd 6/5 $92. assays of ores &c
24	789	23	Rec'd C/D. 57 cents Miscellaneous charges for March 1883.

1883, July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
July 25	793	July 24	Examined, approved & referred Ordg, Refg & S. S. de Exp. a/c's for May / 83
25	794	24	Recd C/D. $680. Profit on Proof coins.
26	798	25	What proportion of the unpaid orders for Minor Coins, are for 1¢ and 5¢ ps.
27	800	26	Forwards set of Std weights from the S. F. Mint, to be adjusted and returned. [Express rec't & Adjusting Certificate filed herein]
27	801	26	Approving the appointment of Patterson Du Bois, as Acting Assayer, pro tem.
27	802	26	Purchase of 250,000, ozs Silver Bullion.
28	805	27	Supt authorized to accept the Proposal of Harrison, Bros & Co. to furnish refined Nitric Acid 40° Baumé, at 6.10 cents per pound.
28	806	27	No Melting Charge to be imposed on Trade Dollars, recd on Sales of Silver Bullion. Approved by Secy Folger

1883, July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
July 28	807	July 27	Mails 1,000 Bill Heads, 250 Reports upon Samples of Bullion.
31	808	30	Acting Heads of Department pro tem, to be appointed by General Order, hereafter.
			August, 1883.
Aug 1	811	July 31	Requests Estimates of Appropriations, by Sept. 15/83, for the Fiscal Year ending June 30. 1885. Blanks sent.
1	812	31	When can the Mint coin Dimes? They are in demand.
1	813	31	Approving Proposal of Harrison, Bros. & Co. to furnish Aqua Fortis, Muriatic Acid, & Oil of Vitriol
1	814	31	Mails 350 blank assays of Sweeps. No. 164.
2	818	1	$1,000,000 to be placed to the Credit of the Supt with the Asst. Treas. at New York.
3	823	2	Approving the general appointment of Wm H. Steel, N. B. Boyd, & Wm H. Key as Acting Coiner, M & B, & Engraver pro tem, respectively, when those officers are temporarily absent

1883, August,

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Aug 3	824	Aug 2	Purchase of Silver Bullion. 220,000 ozs.
3	825	2	August Requisition approved for $40,000.
3	826	2	Has requested ~~$~~ $1,000. for Refinery.
3	827	2	Rec'd off. oath of Jos. Brown, Helper, M & R
3	828	2	Rec'd Off. oath of Thos. H. Wilson Melter.
3	829	2	Rec'd off. oath of Henry Harpham, Night Watchman
3	830	2	Rec'd off. oath of Robt D. Tait, Laborer.
4	832	3	Wants dup. Bill of R.P. Davis & Co. for mounting 3 gold Li Sanz Medals received.
4	833	3	Rec'd List of Officers & Employes for the Biennial Register.
6	838	4	To coin 1,040,000, S.S. d's in August, 1883.
6	839	4	Rec'd assay coins for July, 83.
7	841	6	Enquires for the Assay Medal for Prof. Hilgard.

1883, August.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Aug 8	842	Aug 8	Wants Blank Forms 50 of #3 a, & 50 " #3 B. if they can be spared.
9	844	8	No Table of Distances has been rec'd lately. As a rule they are forwarded to the Mint the day they are received.
9	845	8	Mails 1,000 Blanks "Notice of Shipment" U.S. dis on C/W's from Asst Treasurers.
9	846	8	Forwards Blank Book for Assays — Form 129.
9	847	8	Sends for payment Bill of the "Evening Bulletin," for $6.75 for advertising for Proposals for Supplies.
9	848	8	Requisition for 5 Reams paper, & 2,500 envelopes, must be made out on the regular Department blank form.
10	849	9	The No. of the Delivery to be marked on the Envelope containing Specials & Assay coins for the Mint Bureau.
10	850	9	Purchase of Silver Bullion 235,000 ozs.

1883, August

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Aug 11	853	Aug 10	Requisition for 50 Annealing-furnace Tiles for the Mint at San Francisco.
11	854	9	Forwards an additional Table of Distances.
13	859	11	Requisition for 1 Bbl calcined Borax for the Denver Mint.
13	860	11	Approving the general appointment of Patterson Du Bois, as Acting Assayer, whenever the Assayer is absent.
14	863	13	Rec'd C/D. $200,000, Minor Coinage Profits.
16	867	15	Calls for July Statement of the weight & cost of Silver Bullion available for coinage.
16	868	15	Rec'd Estimates of Appropriations for the Fiscal Year ending June 30. 1885.
16	869	15	The Silver Bar Book ordered in November was sent January 11. 1883.
17	871	16	Purchase of Silver Bullion. 225,000 ozs
17	872	16	Mails 1 Book Silver Ingot Receipts

1883, August

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Aug 18	874	Aug 17	$1,000,000, to be placed to Supt's credit with the Asst. Treas. at N. Y.
21	876	20	Reports 2 errors in the List of Officers & Employes in the Biennial Register
21	877	20	Enquires what Smelting Works furnished the Silver sent to the N. O. Mint in July 1882.
21	878	20	Rec'd Statement of Silver Purchased, Aug 1, to 15th /83.
21	879½	20	With mail Req. for M&R supplies when rec'd.
22	880	21	How much Silver Bullion in hand & for the Coinage of fractional Silver coin.
23	882	22	Approving Awards of Sand Soap & Harold R. Lewis & Co. vice Frank D. McKeon, declined.
23	883	22	Wants Bullion A/c's to Second Quarter /83.
23	884	22	Rec'd 6/50 $45.24 Melting Alloy & Bar charges.
23	885	22	Rec'd 6/50 $1,010.62 Parting & Refining Charges.
24	887	23	Purchase of Silver Bullion. 200,000 oz.

1883 August

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Aug 24	888	Aug 23	Draft for $265.80 to Savage & Stavell for Fused Borax to the Denver Mint, will be mailed them in due time.
25	889	24	To correct error in Medal Voucher, 2nd Quarter /83, Shreve, Crump & Son.
25	890	24	Requisition has been made on the Public Printer for 2,000 Mems. Silver Bullion purchased.
25	891	24	Mails 1,000 Mems. Silver Bullion Purchased.
27	893	25	Mails 1,000 Mems. Silver Bullion Purchased.
29	896	28	Rec'd Bullion Ass's & Vouchers 2nd Quarter /83.
30	897	29	Rec'd Ordj, Refj & S.S.D. Expense Ass's for July /83.
30	898	29	Approved & referred Medal Fund A/c 2d Quarter /83.
31	900	30	Purchase of Silver Bullion, 150,000, ozs.
31	901	30	Sup't authorized to procure 2 Books of Silver Purchases & Transfers in Philadelphia the M. & B.

1883, August

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Aug 31	902	Aug 30	Rec'd C/D. .75 cents, unused bal. of Contingent Fund.
31	903	30	Rec'd C/D. $8,062.87 Wages of Workmen, not needed.
31	904	30	Rec'd C/D $76.89 unused balance of Salaries.
			September, 1883.
Sept 1	905	Aug 31	Sup't to purchase Silver to coin $150,000. in Dimes; under Section 27, Coinage Act of 1873.
1	906	31	Wants Refinery, & G. & S. Statement for 1882-'83, similar to page 5, of last Annual Report.
1	907	31	Returns, to be receipted, Certificate of Silver Purchase, No. 341, Bullion Ap's, 2nd Quarter /83.
4	909	Sept 3	Reports assay of Test coins for June /83.
4	910	3	When will the Hawaiian Dies be completed?
5	912	4	To coin 1,050,000 Silver Dollars in Sept /83.
5	913	4	Arthur Presidential Medal. Price $2. approved.

1883, September

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Sept 5	914	Sept 4	Approving September Requisition for $26,000.
5	915	4	Has requested advance of $10,900. for U.S.D. & Refining operations.
6	919	5	Mails 17 Sheets Silver Purchases No. 188 a.
6	920	5	Albert Singer, Cutter, deceased, dropped from Off. Register.
7	922	6	Purchases Silver Bullion — 185,000 ozs. — 1.1052-'55.
8	923	7	Can Strike Sets Hawaiian Coins for inspection, & the Cabinet. Send 2 sets to the Mint Bureau with Bill,
8	924	7	Rec'd Mr. Barber's Bill for Engraving Hubs for Hawaiian Coinage; & forwarded to the Agent for payt. Warmly approve the Execution of the work.
8	925	7	Price $2 approved for the Hayes and Garfield Medals.
8	926	7	Rec'd Detailed Statement of Incidental Expenses, Ord'y Fund, for the Fiscal Year 1882-'83.
8	927	7	Rec'd Test coins for August. Wants selections from 2 Deliveries, each work

1883, September

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Sept 8	928	Sept 7	Approved & referred Refinery & A. A. D. Expr. a/c's to June, 1883.
10	929	8	Assayer of the Mint Bureau for wards remains of Assay Coin. Return coin Value.
10	930	8	Supt authorized to invite Proposals, & buy Silver & coin Dimes to the amount of $150,000.
10	931	8	Verifying Telegram to buy Silver for Sub-silver coinage. [Tel. filed herein.]
11	932	11	(Tel.) Secretary thinks that under Joint Resolution of July 22/76, cannot coin Sub-Silver until Amount outstanding is reduced below fifty millions. Buy no Silver until question is decided.
12	932½	11	(A. & P.) Lacy desiring to Examine the above question.
12	933	11	See Letter of June 8th for Weight & fineness of the Hawaiian coins; Same as the U. S.
12	934	12	(Tel.) Await Letter of today before purchasing Silver for fractional coinage.
13	939	12	Gives proper Express distances for disputed August bills.
13	940	12	Calls, for the 3rd time for Assay Medal for Pope Hilgard.

1883, September

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Sept		Sept	
14	941	13	Purchase of Silver Bullion. 155,000, ozs. 1.1045 @ '60.
14	942	13	Rec'd C/D $1,106.28 Refining charges, for August /83.
14	943	13	Rec'd C/D. $57.24 Melting, Alloy & Bar charges, for August /83.
14	944	13	Rec'd Ordy, Refinery, & S.S.d. Exp. a/c. for July /83.
14	945	13	Rec'd Supplemental Ordy Exp. a/c for the Fiscal Year 1882-'83.
14	946	13	To send 5 ¢ ps, without "cents," to A. J. Veners, Conneaut, O.
15	949	14	Sends an additional Table of S.S.d. distances.
15	950	14	Sends dft $7.03 for Proof sets.
17	951	15	To purchase Silver, & coin $150,000. in Dimes.
17	952	15	To accept the highest bid, as old iron, for the old machinery from (N. Orleans) & Charlotte Assay Office.
17	953	15	Approved & referred, for payment, Bill $212.25, for Stationery &c Copy enclosed.

1883, September

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Sept 17	954	Sept 15	Rec'd & forwarded Assay Medal for Prof. Hilgard.
17	955	15	Verifying Telegram "Made no purchases of Silver from Handy & Cronise on Thursday last. [Tel. filed herein.]
18	957	17	Verifying Telegram "Rate too near parity. Accept 50,000, only. [Tel. filed herein.]
19	960	18	Again invite Proposals from Bullion Dealers, to furnish 100,000 ozs. fine Silver.
19	961	18	Can $4,000. in 1/2 dollars, $1,000. in 1/4 dolls. & $2,000. in Dimes, be spared for the Helena Assay Office.
19	962	18	Referred Supplemental Ordy A/c for Fiscal Year 1882-83, Except that 5 Directories are too much 2 are Enough for the Mint.
19	963	18	Approved & referred, Ordy, Refy, & S. S. d. Expr A/c's, July/83.
20	965	19	Wants Statements of Fine Gold Bars Exchanged for Gold Coin, during July & August/83. Also wants amt of such Exchanges, if any, in Oct Nov. & December, 1882.

1883, September

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Sept 20	966	Sept 19	Recd $1,072.43 Value of Gold & Silver assay slips sent Sept 8, 1883.
20	967	19	Sends dft. $97. Value of Specie assay Coins for 6 mos. ending June 30, 1883.
21	969	20	Purchase of Silver Bullion 135,000 ozs. @ 1.1083 to '98
21	970	20	Recd A.B. Vandusen's Bill $70. for Tiles for the S. F. Mint. Draft will be sent in due time.
21	971	20	Vouches #297, Ordy Expenses for June '83, traveling expenses of Chas. E. Burke, to Washn. D.C. not explained and not authorized under Regulations, page 20.
22	972	21	Wants No. & date of Vouchers for Directors, in 1881, & 1882.
22	973	21	Examined & verified Statement of Earnings & Expenditures, 2nd Quarter '83; & Annual Statement for 1883.
22	974	21	Recd Statement Silver Purchased Sept 1 & 15th '83.
24	976	22	Mails 1,000 Requisition for Supplies, No. 130, '83.

1883, September, October.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Sept 25	981	Sept 24	Has concluded to approve Mr Barber's bill for traveling Expenses to Wash. D. C. in Ordy Exp Acc for June 1883.
25	982	24	Will recall & approve Bill for 5 Directories; but hereafter 2 Directories will be sufficient for the Mint.
26	984	24	Sends drafts, viz: $2,000. for Chas. E. Barber, for Hubs for Hawaiian Coinage; & $200. for Mint for Dies for the Same.
26	985	21	Enclosing authority to advise for Proposals for Nickel in the "Bulletin" & "Ledger."
26	986	25	Approved & referred, Ordy Exp. Acc. for June, 1883.
28	988	27	Purchased Silver Bullion 160,000 ozs. at 1.118 – '25.

October, 1883.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Oct 1	990	Sept 29	Has requested that the Bullion Fund be increased by $422,757.94 S. S. d. profits.
1	991	29	Verifying Telegram To accept Silver offers of Zimmerman & Forshay and Handy & Cronise, if best to be had. [Tel. filed herein]

1883, October

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Oct		Oct	
3	997	2	To Coin 1,050,000, S. S. d's in October.
3	998	2	Verifying Telegram - You are authorized to come to Washington to consult on Mint affairs. [Tel. filed herein.]
3	999	2	Rec'd Special assay coins for September /83.
3	1,000	2	Pauline Higley, Helper, Gnl Dept resigned, dropped from Offr Register.
3	1,001	2	App'g appt of Mrs. Sarah J. Porr, as a Helper, in Gnl Dept
4	1,002	3	Wants immy Statements of Deposits & Purchases, and Domestic Production for August /83.
5	1,004	4	Purchase of 170,000 ozs Silver Bullion - 1.1100 @ '17.
5	1,005	4	Approving accepted Proposal of Joseph Wharton, 20,000, lbs Nickel @ .91 ¢ per lb.
6	1,008	5	Forwards additional Table of S. S. d's distances.
6	1,008½	5	In reference to attacks in the N.Y. Journal of Commerce
6	1,009	5	Zimmerman & Forshay cannot deliver their 30,000, ounces of Silver until the 15th inst. Their offer is therefore not accepted.

1883, October

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Oct 8	1012	Oct 6	Forwards 6 copies Report on Production of Precious Metals, in 1882, & 25 copies Director's Annual Report for 1882.
8	1013	6	Verifying Telegram — Sending Statement of Deposits & Purchases. Letter of 3rd inst. & Tel. filed herein.
9	1016	8	Reports assay of Test Coins for July, 1883.
9	1017	8	Appg. Jr. & appt of Bolivar Peale as a Cutter in the Coiner's dept, @ £2.10.0, vice Albert Singer, deceased.
9	1018	8	Appg appt of Peter F. Bird as a Machinist, @ £2.7.5.
9	1019	8	Appg appt of John Crawford as a Laborer, at £2.7.5, vice Bolivar Peale, transfd.
9	1029	8	Recd aff. oath of Sarah J. Parr, Helper, Coin dept.
11	1023	10	Approved October Requisition for £28,000. —
11	1024	11	Has acquired an advance of £10,000, from U.S.A. coinage appropriation.
11	1025	10	Has acquired an advance of £10,000. for Refining Expended.

1883 October

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Oct		Oct	
12	1026	11	Purchase of Silver Bullion. 225,000 ozs @ 1.1105 to '29.
12	1027	11	Miss A. F. Baker, Adjuster, resigned, dropped from the Official Register.
13	1030	12	Examined, approved and referred Medal Fund Account, Third Quarter 1883.
16	1034	15	Approving appt of Mr. Ellis A. Purse, as an Adjuster, $1.75, vice Miss A. F. Baker, resigned.
18	1036	17	Sends for pay't Bill of "Evening Bulletin" $11.25 adv'g Proposals for Nickels.
18	1037	17	Rec'd off. oath of Peter E. Bird, Machinist, quit dept.
18	1038	17	Rec'd off. oath of John Crawford, Laborer, quit dept.
18	1038½	17	Extracts from N.Y. papers - def'g in Mint assets.
19	1041	18	Purchase of Silver Bullion; 220,000, ozs. 1.1115 @ '33.
20	1042	19	Mint price of Silver - 1.1090.
23	1044	22	Requisition for Dies of 1884, for the Mint at San Francisco. 55 Ob. 55 Rev.
23	1045	22	Express rates on Silver Dollars to Topeka, Kans, & 4 other points.

1883, October

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Oct 23	1046	Oct 22	Recd C/D. $725. Profits on Medals & Proof Coins, 3rd Quarter 1883. Query as to what the C/D covers.
23	1047	22	Recd C/D $722.28 Refinery Earnings, June, 1883.
23	1048	22	Recd C/D $92. Assays of Ores, 3rd Quarter 1883.
23	1049	22	Recd C/D. $64.68 Charges other than Refinery
23	1050	22	Recd C/D. $18.62 old material Sold
24	1051	23	To forward 20 pairs Hawaiian Coinage Dies to the Supt of the Mint at San Francisco.
24	1052	23	Mails 10 copies of last Report upon the Statistics of the Production of Gold & Silver.
24	1053	23	Recd C/D $250,000. Mint Coinage Profits.
24	1054	23	Recd C/D $855.36 Refinery Earnings for Sept. 1883.
24	1055	23	Recd C/D $52.32 Miscellaneous charges collected in Sept 1883.
24	1056	23	Recd C/D $2.81 old material Sold.

1883, October

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Oct 24	1057	Oct 23	Appg appt of Mrs. Amanda Bartlett, as Assistant to the Chief of Helpers at $1.50
24	1058	23	(R.E.P.) How many Trade Dollars purchased at Bullion since July 1. 1883.
25	1060	24	Verifying Telegram Reducing Mint price of Silver to 110 cts per oz fine. [Tel. filed herein.]
26	1063	25	Requisition for 6 pairs S.S.C. Dies, of 1883, for the Mint at New Orleans.
26	1064	25	Purchase of Silver Bullion. 255,000, ozs. 1.1075 @ 1.11
26	1065	25	Recd 6/10/62 76 old material sold.
27	1068	26	Mails Blanks, &c. 100 No. 53, Abstracts of Disbursements 100 No. 54a, Ags Accounts
30	1069	29	$1,000,000, to be placed to Supts credit, with Asst Treas. U.S. N.Y.
30	1070	29	Nickel can only be purchased after advt; & thank you Mr. Wharton's offer of 20,000 lbs additional at the same price cannot be accepted.

1883, October, November

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Oct 30	1071	Oct 30	(Tel) 1.10,94, is correct for Handy & Cronise's Silver.
31	1072	30	Wants sample leaves of Weigh Clerk's books of Gold Deposits #189; and Silver Purchases & Deposits #190.
			November, 1883.
Nov. 1	1073	Oct 31	Rec'd off. oath of Mrs. Amanda Bartlett, ass't Helper, in the General Dept.
2	1074	Nov 1	Purchases of Silver Bullion. 235,000, ozs @ 1.1080 - '97.
2	1076	Oct 31	Forwards additional Table of Distances.
2	1077	Nov 1	Approving Requisition $40,000, for November expenses.
2	1078	1	Has requested advance of $800, for Refinery Expenses, November.
3	1081	2	Mails 250 copies blank Certificates of Gold Deposits for temporary use. If not available, have some printed for a month's use. Will have 5,000 printed for the Philia Mint.
3	1082	2	Reports assay of Test Coins for August, 1883.

1883, November

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Nov		Nov	
3	1083	2	The advance of $10,000, requested was from the app'n for coining Silver Dollars.
3	1084	2	Rec'd off. oath of Elliot A. Purse Adjuster.
5	1085	3	Rec'd Ordy, Refy & S. S. de Exp A/c for August & September /83.
5	1086	3	Wants samples of blanks #51a, Warrants for the payment of Ordinary Expenses; if the Requisition is still to be filled.
5	1087	3	Rec'd Test Coins for October /83
6	1089	5	Sends an additional Table of Distances, for S. S. de.
7	1090	6	App'd & referred, Bullion A/c's Second Quarter /83. Division into monthly periods is undesirable.
7	1091	6	Mails 500 & 500 Condition of Bullion Fund; & Silver Bullion purchased.
7	1092	6	Has asked an Explanation of the Supt of the San Francisco Mint, of the tampering with Dies, and have advised that the Dies be hardened at the Philadelphia Mint.

1883, November

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Nov. 7	1093	Nov. 6	Wants sample of Form #51a Warrant for the payment of Ordinary Expenses. None on hand.
7	1094	6	Examined, approved & referred Ordinary, Refinery, & S.S.d. Expense Acc's for August, 1883.
8	1095	7	Sends 50 cents for 2 quarters in return
9	1096	8	To coin 1,050,000 S.S.d's in November /83.
9	1097	8	Proposals to be invited for 100,000 ozs Silver Bullion for fractional Silver ~~Bullion~~ Coinage.
9	1098	8	Purchase of 240,000 ozs. Silver @ 1.1080 @ '97.
10	1099	9	Mails 5,000 certificates of Gold Deposits #4a
12	1102	10	App'g appt of Pauline M. Hazlett as an Adjuster.
13	1105	12	Forwards dft. of the Nat. Ex. Bank Auburn, N.Y., $300. for Mine Coins.
13	1106	12	Calls for early transmission of Bullion Acc's, for the Third Quarter /83.

1883, November

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Nov		Nov	
13	1107	12	Wants Statement, by months, from Jany 1/82, to Oct. 31/83 of the number of S.S. d's paid out, under the several heads.
14	1109	13	The Assayer in charge of the U.S. Assay Office at Boise City, Idaho, has been instructed to forward his Gold Bullion deposits to the Phila Mint for coinage.
14	1110	13	Extension of 5 days time on Handy & Cronise's Silver left to Supt's discretion.
14	1111	13	Wants Statement for October/83 on Form #193, Silver Purchases &c
14	1112	13	The Coiner's recommendation of the transfer of J. M. Binker & J. F. Weyser, was not forwarded.
15	1118	14	Accepting Proposal of Seligman & Co to furnish 50,000, ozs. Silver; and rejecting that of Handy & Cronise, Supt to invite proposals again in a few days.
15	1119	14	To forward to the N.Y. Assay Office, 25 copies of Form #232,
15	1120	14	Express rates for S.S. d's to Concord N.C. & Fulton, Ark.
16	1125	15	Requisition, 49 Dies of 1884 for Carson Mint

1883, November

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Nov		Nov	
16	1126	15	Purchase of 205,000 ozs. Silver Bullion, at 11080 - '84.
16	1127	15	Approved & referred Ordy, Refiner & S.S.D. Exp. a/c, Sept/83.
16	1128	15	Approving Transfer and appt of T. F. Weyser, as a Roller in the Coiner's dept.
16	1129	15	Do. Do. T. W. Binker, as an Annealer in the Coiner's department.
17	1130	16	Monthly Statement of Balances of Bullion & Coin in Bullion a/c's 31 Oct/83, correct, & agree with other a/c's named
19	1131	17	Rec'd C/D. $200,000. Minor Coinage Profits.
19	1133	17	Rec'd C/D. $975.89 Refinery Charges.
19	1134	17	Rec'd C/D. $68.06 Miscellaneous Charges.
19	1135	17	Approving the appt of Walter E. Penrose, as an Assistant in the General Department, from the 19th inst. @ $4. per diem
20	1138	19	In reference to the death of Dr John L. LeConte, late Chief Clerk.

1883 November

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Nov 20	1139	Nov 19	$1,000,000. to be credited to Supt with Assn Reas at New York.
20	1140	19	Mails 1,000, Tonnage Reports #62.
20	1141	19	Blank Book for M & R, will be ready in 2 weeks.
21	1143	—	(R. L. P.) sends $5.30 for Act Silver Coin of former year, specified.
22	1144	21	Legality & Expediency of Coining Gold Dollars.
22	1145	21	Reports assay of Test Coins for September, 1883.
22	1146	21	Mails 100 Synopsis of Engineer's Log.
21	1147	21	(Tel) Will be at Continental this Evening as promised.
21	1148	21	Mails 2500 Deliveries of Fine Gold Bars, 243a, 243b.
23	1151	22	Purchase of Silver Bullion. 230,000 oz — 11057 @ 64.
23	1152	22	Offg Transfer & appt'g Hugh Hawthorn as a Helper in the Melting and Refiner's dept.

1883, November.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Nov 23	1153	Nov 22	Appg transfer & appt of Edward J. Cobb, Jr. as a Melter in the M. & R. dept.
23	1154	22	Rec'd C/D. $508.84 Profits of Mutilated Silver coin.
28	1158	27	The Books and Blanks called for 24th inst. cannot be furnished under 6 weeks to 2 mos. Enclosures in reference to Requisitions for Blanks.
28	1159	28	(Tel.) Supt authorized to visit Washington immy on public business.
28	1160	27	Mails 50 copies Director's Annual Report for 1882-83.
30	1161	28	Authority to advertise Proposals for 100,000 lbs. 1 & Blanks, in the "Evening News" and "Bulletin".

December, 1884.

Dec		Nov	
1	1163	30	Purchase of Silver Bullion 200,000 ozs c/l 1041-'42
1	1164	30	Dies of 1884, for the Carson Mint were ordered Nov. 15.
1	1165	30	Appg appt of Alex. Councellor, Labor,

1883, December

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Dec		Dec	
3	1168	1	No objection to furnishing copper-nickel pattern pieces to Hon Justin S. Morrill, Chr Finance Com. U. S. Senate,
3	1169	1	Approving December Requisition for $30,000.
3	1170	1	Has requested advance of $10,000. from S. S. d's appr.
3	1171	1	Has requested advance of $800. for Refinery.
3	1172	1	App'g increase of compensation of Frank N. Thompson, Assistant Book Keeper, General Dep't for $4.25 to $5. per diem
4	1176	3	Requisition for 48 s.s.d. Dies of 1884, for the N. O. Mint
4	1177	3	Sends 25 ¢ for 5 proof 5 ¢ pieces current issue.
5	1179	4	Requisition for 50.5 R. Dime Dies of 1884, for the S. F. Mint
5	1180	4	To coin 1,100,000 S. S. d's in December.
5	1181	4	Express rates to Pipestone, Minn & Taunton, Mass.
5	1182	4	Rec'd Off. oath of Alexander Councellor, Laborer

1883, December

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Dec 6	1185	Dec 4	Rec'd Test coins for Nov. /83.
6	1186	5	Sends dft $25. for 1/2 Dolls of /83, to Geo. S. Hale, Boston, Mass, by request of Asst Secy French.
6	1187	5	Rec'd 5 proof 5¢ pieces.
7	1189	6	Purchase of Silver Bullion 240,000 Ozs. — 1.1070,'79.
8	1191	7	Forwards additional Table of Distances.
10	1192	8	Requisition has been made on the Public Printer for the Books & Blanks called for Comments.
10	1193	8	Rec'd Statement of Silver Purchased during November 1883.
11	1195	10	App'g award of contract for 100,000 lbs 1¢ Blanks to Brown & Brothers; @ 25 3/4 cts per lb.
11	1196	10	Rec'd off. oath of Eliza G. Handy, Adjuster
12	1196	11	Sends for payment, Bill of the "Evening News," $12.75 adv'g Proposals for 1¢ Blanks
13	1199	12	To prepare 5 pairs Dies of 1883, for Dimes for the Hawaiian Govt. Design Enclosed & Copy of Letter

1883 December

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Dec		Dec	
13	1200	12	Sends $4. for 4 Gold Dollars.
14	1202	13	Purchase of Silver Bullion 225,000, ozs – 1.1063, @ '73.
14	1203	13	Sends for payt Bill of "Evening Bulletin" $12.75 adv'g for Proposals for 1 & Blanks.
15	1205	14	Express charges on Gold Bullion for the Assay Office at Boise City, Idaho, will be paid at the Department, same as from Denver and Charlotte.
15	1206	14	Verifying Telegram "Accept 50,000, ozs. Silver from Hardy & Comise, @ 1.1069.
15	1207	14	No package rec'd from W. H. Hagan-myer, Holden, Mo. inquired about, in his letter of Dec 7/83. [W. H. S's letter filed herein.]
15	1208	14	Examined & verified Statement No. 232, bal. Bullion & Coin, November 30/83.
15	1209	14	Rec'd 4 Gold Dollars
17	1211	15	Sends copy of letter from B. F. Stevens, U.S. Dispatch Agent, London, about Engraving Machine, & Steel used by the Messrs Wyores, of the British Mint.

1883, December

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Dec		Dec	
18	1217	17	Requests that an Asc be made up of am't paid
19	1218	18	Mails 3 Books M & R's Silver Receipts & Deliveries, #183.
20	1220	19	$1,000,000, to be placed to the Cr. of the Supt with the Ass't Treas. at N. Y.
21	1222	20	Purchase of 235,000 ozs Silver Bullion; 1.1104 @ '13.
21	1223	20	Treas U.S. rec'd pkge from W. H. Hagenmeyer, but held it for advices. Supt will make returns by draft
21	1224	20	Mails, 1 Record of Disbursements on Asc. Refinery Expenses; & 1 do do Asc S.S.D. Expenses.
22	1225	21	To complete Dime Dies for the Hawaiian Govt, & forward them to S. F. Mint
22	1226	21	Mint price of Silver 110 9/10 ¢ per oz fine.
24	1228	22	Verifying Telegram — Such employs as can be spared, may stop work on noon on Monday.
24	1229	22	Mails, 1,000 Deliveries of Gold ~~Bulli~~ Coin #151; & 1,000 Del. minor Coin, #153.

1883, December

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Dec 27	1233	Dec 26	Mails 5,000 Assayers' Reports on Gold Bullion, #39a
27	1233½	26	Will recommend Geo. W. Hall, for Assay Commissioner.
28	1235	27	Purchase of Silver Bullion 230,000 oz - 1.1108 @ '25.
28	1236	27	Recd Bullion Accts & Vouchers, Third Quarter 83.
28	1237	27	Mails 1,000 Mems. of B. deposited by Assay Offices, #42a
29	1240	28	Mails 1 Book of Disbursements & 500 Assay Reports, #17a
31	1241	29	Mails 1,000 Deliveries of Silver Coin #152
31	1242	29	Mrs. Isabella Sidney, Chief of Help resigned, dropped from the Rolls
31	1243	29	Appg transfer & appt of Mrs. Amanda Bartlett, Chief of Helpers, Vice Mrs. Isabella Sidney, resigned
31	1244	29	Appg appt of Mrs. Ellen Bolton, as Asst Chief of Helpers at $50, vice Mrs Bartlett, promoted.

1884, January

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Jany 2	1	Dec 31	Cannot pass on C/D for November, until Statement of Charges collected is rec'd on Form #83.
2	2	31	Sends for payment Bill of "Ledger" $15. for adv'g for Proposals for Nickels.
3	6	Jany 2	How to procure omitted Stationery for Engraver.
3	7	2	Wants Statement for November & December 1883, of Silver Dollars paid out.
3	9	2	To coin 1,200,000, S.S.D. in January 1884.
4	13	3	Verifying Tel. Coinage Statements for November 1883, & the Year 1883, belong to the Official files. Send corrected Statements.
4	14	3	Approving January Requisition for $36,000.
4	15	3	Has requested advance of $10,000. from appr. for S.S.D. Coinage
4	16½	3	Mails 500 informal Mans (informal) Silver Purchases #134; & 500 Daily Statements conditions of Ap'ts #135.
4	16	3	Purchase of 250,000 ozs Silver Bullion 1114

1884. January

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Jany 5	19	Jany 4	Rec'd C/D. $150,000. Minor Coinage Profits.
5	20	4	Returns Requisition for Stationery, for Signature.
5	21	4	Mails 2 Books of Receipts for Deposits for Minor Coins.
5	22	4	Rec'd offr oath of Ellen Boston Ass't Chief of Helpers.
7	24	5	Express rate to Bowling Green, Ky is correct
7	25	5	Rec'd C/D. $908.43 Refinery Earnings
7	26	5	Rec'd C/D $94.01 Miscellaneous Charges.
7	27	5	Rec'd C/D $5.16, Old Material Sold.
7	28	5	Mails, 2,000, Mems. G. B. dep'd, 2,500 Mems. Silver purchases, 3,000 Assayers Reports on Silver Tngts.
8	31	7	Enquiries for an Engraver for the Peruvian Mint at Lima.
8	32	7	Rec'd Special assay Coins for Dec/83.
8	33	7	Mails. 6 sets Blanks.
9	34	8	To hold Hawaiian Dies for Dies, & notify D.M. when completed.

1884, January

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Jany 9	35	Jany 8	Supt authorized to purchase 50,000, ozs. Silver for Mints.
9	36	8	Sends an additional Table of S. S. d. distances.
9	37	8	Mails 3,000, blanks. Assays Reports re Silver Bullion
10	39	9	Reports in place of Trade Dollars.
10	40	9	Reports Assay of Test coins for October, 1883.
10	45	10	Purchases Silver Bullion 140,000, ozs - 1.1116-18
12	50	11	Enclosing copy of Secy's Letter 10th inst about changes suggested June 22/83 in Life Saving Medals.
12	51	11	No payments for Silver to Philo, Pa, until distance Verified by the Department.
12	52	11	Statements of changes should always accompany C/Ds - for Comparison
12	53	11	Returns Voucher #4. Medal Fund &c. for correction of amount
12	54	11	Mails 2,000 Requisitions for Supplies.

1884, January

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Jany 12	55	Jany 11	Recd Medal Report, 4th Quarter 83.
12	56	11	Recd C/D. for $75. Profits on Medals and Proof Coins.
12	57	11	Recd Medal Fund A/c 4th Quarter 1883.
14	59	12	To advise pr Nickel, in Bullion Ledger, Cable & Stem.
14	60	12	To send notice of Nickel adv't to N. Whitman, Secy &c Chicago, Ill.
15	61	14	Mails 10 copies of Dick's Report for 1880.
16	63	15	Was Silver L. S. Medal made the same in size & lettering as the Gold Medal? If so, wants impression in soft metal.
16	64	15	Has examined & verified Statement Balances, & Coin & Bullion A/c 31 Dec 83.
17	65	16	Verifying Tel authority to visit Washington on official Business.
17	66	16	Mails 2 Books ordered pr Supplies.
18	68	17	Purchase of Silver Bullion 190,000, oz - 1.1157 - 188
19	70	18	Wants 10 dimes, by Return mail.

1884. January

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Jan 19	71	Jan 18	Returns of Correction Reports Gold Proof Coins. 4th Qr 1883.
19	72	17	Mails 30 Circulars of the Annual Valuation of Foreign Coins.
19	73	18	Mails 1 Cashier's Blotter
22	77	21	To facilitate the verification of the Quarterly Bullion Rpts, the unpaid deposits should be entered in a line below the total, & subtracted &c &c
23	78	22	Examined, approved & referred Medal Fund Rpt. 4th Quarter 83.
23	79	21	Mails 2 Blank Books (M & R)
23	80	22	Sends $1. in payt for 10 Dimes, Rec'd
24	82	23	Reports assay of Test Coins for November, 1883.
24	84	23	Wants Monthly Reports for October, November, & December, as soon as practicable. See R.S. Sec. 3622
25	89	24	Sends Rpt for $6.08 for 2 Proof Sets
25	85	24	Purchase of Silver Bullion.
26	86	25	Sends Sketch of Indian Medal. Wants its history.

1884, January

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Jany 26	87	Jany 25	Rec'd, with thanks, communication called by Tel. of 23rd inst.
26	88	25	Rec'd Statement of Silver Purchased January 1. to 15/84.
~~26~~	~~89~~	~~25~~	~~Sends $4,080. in $3 &c.~~
28	93	26	Rec'd C/D. $919.65 Refining charges - December /83.
28	94	26	Rec'd C/D $168. assays of Ores.
28	95	26	Rec'd C/D. $52.11 Melting, Alloy & Bar charges, December /83.
28	97	26	Sends for pay't Bill Evening Bulletin $12. advertising Proposals for Nickels.
29	98	28	Rec'd O; R; & S.S.D. Exp. a/c's for the 2 mos. ending November, 1883.
30	101	29	Handy & Cronise to have 1 week's extension on their sale of the 17th inst. conditionally
30	102	29	Reports assay of December Test Coins.
30	103	29	No authority of law to make deductions from a salary fixed by Act of Congress. Dr. Le Conte's legal representatives, are entitled to the unpaid bal. of his full salary.

1884, January, February

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Jany 30	104	Jany 29	Examined, approved & referred O; R; & S.S.D. Exp. a/c's for October, 1883.
31	110	30	Approving Award of Contract for 40,000 lbs Nickel, at 84 cents per lb, to Jas S. Watson & Son
31	111	30	Paragraph 11, p. 20, does not prohibit the employment of one of the ladies of the Mint to make bags.

February, 1884.

Feb 1	115	Jany 31	Enquires about Bar & Alloy charges in 2 cases, Geo. F. Craig, Abstract Sheets, 3rd Quarter /83, Bullion a/c's
1	116	31	Purchase of Silver Bullion 205,000 ozs. 1.12 @ '07
1	117	31	How to adjust the a/c's when Silver purchased is not all delivered within the Quarter.
1	118	31	Rec'd O; R; & S.S.D. Exp. a/c's for December /83.
1	119	31	Approving the Removal of Robt Williamson, Helper, M & R.
1	120	31	Do transfer John Keenan to Helper, M & R

1883, February

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Feb 1	121	Jany 31	Approving the appointment of Hillery Conner, as N. Watchman
1	122	31	Do. transfer & appt of Lawrence Carey, as a Laborer in the General dept.
2	124	Feb 1	Is the Supt willing to Exchange new mina Coins for $9,150. in 1's, 2's, & 3¢ pr. from the Asst Treas, U.S. at Cincinnati, O.
2	125	1	To coin 1,100,000, S. S. d's in February, 1884.
2	126	1	February Requisition approved $40,000.—
2	127	1	Requisition made for $10,000. for February 1884, from S. S. d. appr.
2	128	1	Do. for $1,500. for Refiney Expenses for February Expenses.
2	129	1	Mails 4 Blank Books – 2 for Supt; 2 for Assayer.
4	130	Jany 29	How to adjust Error of 17¢ in Bar Charge, Bullion Ap's 3d 2d 1883, Calculating of Alloy charges, same Quarter, Erroneous.
4	132	2	Reparations to be made for Entertaining the Assay Commissioners – 13th & 14th inst.

1884, February

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Feb		Feb	
4	133	2	Rec'd Special assay coins for January 1884.
4	134	2	Mails 1 Blank Book
5	136	4	Rec'd off. oath of Stillery Former Night Watchman, Genl Dept,
6	138	5	Wants explanation of the large charge of $10.74, on Deposit No. 205, U.S. Gold from St. Louis Assay Office, January 30/84.
6	139	5	Alloy charge in Abstract Sheets, 4 Quarter 1883, will be allowed.
6	140	5	Appd & refined, for payt, Bill Dec. 18/83, $177.92, for Stationery. Dup. Bill filed therein.
6	141	4	Supt authorized to visit Washington on official business & charge expenses to contingent appropriation
7	144	5	Mint price of Silver. 111 6/10 cents per oz fine - less than 10,000, ozs.
7	148	7	List of Assay Commissioners for 1884, appointed by the President
8	149	7	Purchase of Silver Bullion. 185,000, ozs - 1.1215, '22, '24.

1884, February

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Feb 8	150	Feb 7	Examined & approved & referred O; R; & S.S.d. Exp. Ass't for November, 1883.
9	152	8	Forwards supply of traveling Expense Vouchers.
11	155	9	Examined, approved & referred O; R; & S.S.d. Expense Ass's for December 1883.
12	161	11	Calls attention to Erroneous Parting & Refining charges on #1290, 1319, & 1820, Gold Abstract Sheets, Bullion Ass't 3d Quarter 1883.
12	162	11	Returns Mem #205, St. Louis Gold, for correction; the parting charge of 4¢ per oz. being an Error.
12	163	11	Forwards Box of papers relative to the Annual Assay.
12	164	11	App'g the appt of Mrs. Lizzie Wilson, as a Helper in the Genl dept, @ $1.25.
14	168	13	Has requested the transfer from the N. Af. A. O. of 92,602.05 ozs Std Silver Bullion ($107,755.11) for Fractional Silver coinage.
15	169	14	Purchase of Silver Bullion 170,000, ozs @ 11260, '63.

1884. February

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Feb		Feb	
16	170	15	Mint price of Silver - 1.12 4/10
16	171	15	The Auditor wants with each C/D. for "Assay of Ores", and "old material sold", a Statement of the sources of those sums, and an A/c current
16	172	15	Mails 4 Registers of Deposits, #188a.
18	174	16	Forwards a broken $5. Gold piece, for return of value, & Explanation of cause of brittleness.
18	175	15	Has requested that $476,810.57 Profits on S.S.D. & fractional coinage be deposited & transferred to the Bullion Fund.
18	176	15	Forwards 6 copies of the Regulations & Instructions for the Government of the Mint.
19	179	18	Approved & referred Bullion A/cs Third Quarter /83. How to correct Error in charges on deposit #1290. — Instructions, under six heads, for reporting Silver accounts. Complimentary.
19	180	18	Forwards Box of G. & S. remains of Test Coins. Return Vat. free of Expense

1884, February

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Feb		Feb	
19	181	18	Sends dft $500. Chas. E. Barber Hubs for Hawaiian Dimes, with Bill to be receipted. Dies to be retained until the Hawaiian Govt is heard from.
19	182	18	Sends for pay't, Bill $12. "Evening Call," adv'g Proposals for Nickel.
~~19~~	~~183~~	~~18~~	~~Supplemental Ap Ord. Expenses Fiscal Year 1882-83,~~
20	187	19	Silver from the Northern Shore of Lake Superior should not be classed as of Domestic Production. Enquire.
20	188	19	Supt authorized to visit Washington on Mint and Coinage business. Wants 3 specimens each of the 1¢ & 5¢ Nickels, with a hole in them.
20	189	19	Wants Assay Medal.
20	190	19	Sends $3.88 for 2 Silver proof sets of 1884.
21	192	20	Forwards additional Table of Distances. S. S. d's.
23	195	21	Purchase of Silver, 160,000 ozs 1.1298 1.1320.

1884 February

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Feb 25	196	21	Ship Hawaiian Dime Dies to the San Francisco Mint.
27	201	26	Rec'd Bill for 5 pair Hawaiian Dime Dies, & have sent it to Claus Spreckels, San Francisco, for payment.
27	202	26	Rec'd off. oath of Lizzie Wilson Helper, Genl Dept.
28	203	27	Rec'd C/D $46.63, Melting, Alloy & Bar charges.
28	204	27	Rec'd C/D. $991.27 Parting & Refining charges for January, 1884.
29	206	28	Purchase of Silver Bullion 165,000,071 – 1.1280 – '83.
29	207	28	Sends dft $88 – Value of Special Assay coins for the 6 mos. ending Dec. 31. 1884.
29	208	28	Rec'd $913.36, Gold, & Silver $183.78, proceeds of Monthly assay coins.
29	209	28	Sends for payt Bill $15. "Public Ledger" advg for "Proposals for Nickel."
29	210	28	Requisition (for Spencer F. Baird) for 2 copies in Bronze of all Medals struck by the Govt, for the Historical Exhibit, National Museum, Wash. D.C.

1884, March

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mar		Feb.	
1	210½	29	Approving the removal of Mrs Mrs. H. J. Magill, Adjuster.
1	211	29	Approving the appointment of Miss Elizabeth J. Fitthian, as an Adjuster @ $1.75, vice Mrs H. J. Magill, dropped from the Rolls.
		Mch	
3	215	1	Wants Bullion Ass's, 4th Quarter 1883, as soon as may be practicable.
3	216	1	To Coin 1,100,000 S.S.d's in March, 1884.
3	217	1	Mails 5,000 Certificates of Gold Deposits, #4a.
4	220	3	Encloses 3 Sketches of additional Gold & Silver ~~L.A.~~ Army Marksmanship Medals. Dies to be prepared after drawings are approved by the Secretary of War. Medals must be ready before the End of June.
4	221	3	Requests return of Extracts from the "Journal of Commerce," & other papers, in relation to Silver Dollar Profits.
4	221½	3	Requisition for 23 G. & 27 S. Marksmanship Medals.
4	222	3	Approving March Requisition $33,000.
4	223	3	Have made Requisition for $5,000 from S.S.d. appropriation.

1884, March

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch		Mch	
4	224	3	Have made Requisition for $1,000. for Refinery.
6	226	5	New method of reporting Coiner's Monthly Gold & Silver Workings.
6	226½	5	The 8 G. Medals should be "Department Prize."
6	227	5	Rec'd Special Assay Coins for February, 1884.
7	230	6	Submits for Supt's opinion proposed Form, from the S. F. Mint, for the Monthly Report of Coiner's Gold & Silver Workings.
7	231	6	How was the Seignorage on the Coinage of S. S. d's for the fiscal year ended June 30/79, arrived at?
7	232	6	Purchase of Silver Bullion; 160,000, oz — 1.270 @ '79.
7	233	6	Sends $4.42 for Proof Coins.
8	234	7	Sends another Form for Coiner's Monthly Report of Gold & Silver Workings — both on the same sheet.
8	235	7	Wants sample folio, & general description of the 2 desired Silver Weigh Books, #190.
8	236	6	Rec'd off. oath of S. E. Fittham, Adjuster

1884, March

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch 10	237	Mch 8	Forwards omitted San Francisco Form for Reporting Coiners Gold & Silver Workings.
10	238	8	Sends $3.88 for 2 Silver and m.c. proof sets.
11	240	10	Forwards approval of designs for 3 new Army Marksmanship Medals. Which to be Gold, and which Silver.
11	241	10	Express Co. to put Logan, Kansas, on the List for verification.
11	242	10	Rec'd C/D. $150,000. Mint Coinage Profits.
11	243	10	Has paid Bill of Stationery, 30 Jany/84, $8.18. Copy of Bill enclosed.
12	244	11	$1.55 Alloy Charges to go into Profit & Loss A/c, and the deposit of that Amount credited to.
12	245	11	Rec'd C/D. $912.34 Parting and Refining Charges, January, 1884.
12	246	11	Rec'd C/D. $57.41 Miscellaneous Charges, January 1884.

1884, March

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch 13	253	12	Wants February Statement of Gold Bars exchanged for Gold Coin.
13	254	11	Sends Bill & draft, $50. for payment for 5 pair Dies for Hawaiian Dimes. Return Bill receipted.
13	255	12	Has ordered Weigh Clerk's Books of Silver Purchases & Deposits. Have changed position of "Assay Columns".
13	256	12	Express rate to Logan, Kansas, $6.03, is correct.
13	257	12	Rec'd O; R; & S.S.D. Exp. a/c's & Vouchers for January 1884.
14	258	13	Purchase of Silver Bullion. 200,000, ozs. @ 1.1224.
14	259	13	Mint price of Silver, 1.12 cents per oz. fine, in lots of less than 10,000, ounces.
14	260	13	Approved & refered O; R; & S.S.D. Exp. a/c's for January, 1884.
17	261	13	Riders are required for the Skirmish Prize Army Marksmanship Medals; the same kind for all 3.

1884, March

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch		Mch	
18	264	17	Verifying Tel. Hawmuck Gold Coin rec'd for Silver Coin, 4th Quarter 183.
19	266	18	Requisition for 1 Gold L. Saving Medal, for William H. Daily, with Bill.
19	266½	18	Requisition for 6 Silver L.S. Medals for Wm E. Bowman, & 5 others, with Cases, & Bill.
21	270	20	Purchase of Silver Bullion - 180,000, ozs - 1.1220, @ '40.
21	271	20	Wants 2 Hawaiian Dimes. (Preston)
22	271½	21	Cases will not be needed for the 6 Silver, and 1 Gold L.S. medals.
22	272	21	$1,000,000, to be placed to Supt's credit, with Ass't Treas. N.Y.
22	273	21	Verifying Tel. - Mountings & Cases not required for the L.S. medals ordered 18th inst.
25	275	24	Neither Mountings nor cases will be required for L.S. medals. They will be mounted here.
26	276	25	There is no legal limit to the legal tender of abraded Silver coins. Returns Mr Bates' letter

1884 March, April.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch 26	277	Mch 25	Sends additional Table of Distances.
28	279	27	Purchase of Silver Bullion. 190,000, ozs. - 1.1186 @ '88
28	280	27	Sends dft $200. for 200 Gold Dollars; not to be used for ornaments.
28	281	27	Recd Bullion Ap's & Vouchers, 4th Quarter '83.
29	282½	28	Recd 1 Gold L.S. medal, & Bill, $50.38. Returns Vouchers.
31	283	29	Reports assay of Test Coins, for January, 1884.
31	284	29	Approving Removal of James Trumbrower, Roller, Coiner's department.
31	285	29	App'g appt of John Crawford, as a Roller, @ $2.90. vice James Trumbrower, removed.
31	286	29	App'g removal of Granville Hosmer, genl dept.

April, 1884.

Apl 1	289	Mch 31	Returns 1 Gold L.S. Medal, with bill & Vouchers, because struck from the Silver Medal Dies. Strike another for W. H. Dailey.

1884, April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl 1	290	Mch 29	Supt authorized to visit Washington on Official business.
1	291	22	Encloses revised Form for Monthly Report of Coiner's Workings; with Explanations.
2	293	Apl 1	Returns with approval of War Department, Design for Rider for the Army Prize Skirmish Marksmanship Medal.
2	294	1	Miss Mary Newbold, Adjuster, resigned; dropped from the Rolls.
3	296	2	Impression in soft metal of the Silver L.S. Medal, submitted January 17/84, has been approved.
3	297	2	Requisition for 1 Silver L.S. Medal for William Wilson, U.S. Army &c
3	298	2	To coin 1,100,000. S.S. d's in April /84.
3	299	2	Requisition $45,000. for April, approved.
3	300	2	Requisition for $1,000. for Refining for April /84, approved.
4	303	3	Purchase of Silver Bullion 140,000, oz – 1.1175 c '96.

1884, April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl		Apl	
4	304	3	Sends 3 reductions made on their transferring machine, by Messrs. Wyon, Royal Mint, London; & a bar of Steel; with their Explanatory letters. Sufit in conjunction with Engraver Barber, to Examine & report.
4	305	3	Mint price of Silver, 1.11½
4	306	3	The undelivered portion of Handy & Cronise's Sale of Silver Bullion, March 13th not to be received — the 10 days having Expired, & the price of Silver declined.
4	307	3	Approving Transfer and appt of Hilliary Conner, as a Roller Vice John Crawford, withdrawn £2.90
5	310	4	Forwards an additional Table of Distances.
5	311	4	Sends 20 ¢ c/p 2 Hawaiian Dimes.
7	313	5	Recd March Assay Coins.
7	314	5	Recd C/D $ 3.20, old material Sold.
7	315	4	Approving the Removal of E. F. Kennedy, Cutter

1884, April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl 8	317	Apl 7	Must price of Silver Bullion, 1.11 & per oz, fine.
8	318	7	Approving appt of Miss M. E. Corbly, as an Adjuster @ $1.75 vice Mary Newbold, resigned.
8	319	7	Do. appt of Mrs. Annie Hassett, as a Helper, in the General Dept, @ $1.25
9	324	8	Dangerous illness of Frederick Eckfeldt.
10	328	9	Approved & referred Medal Fund Ap First Quarter 84.
10	329	9	Rec'd C/D $655. Profits on Medals.
10	330	9	Approving appt of Geo. A. Fraser, as a Machinist @ $3.25.
10	331	9	Approving appt of John J. Skilton, Night Watchman, @ $2.75, vice Hillary Conner, transferred.
12	334	11	Approving appt of Lizzie McCullough, as an Adjuster @ $1.75,
12	335	10	Purchase of Silver Bullion 145,000, ozs @ 1.153 @ '82.
12	336	10	Received 7 Silver L. S. medals.

1884, April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Medals.			Returns Vouchers, Bill, $29.10 sent to the Sec'y Treasury, for payment
12	337	10	1,000 Blank "Requisitions for Supplies", will be forwarded when printed.
12	338	10	Rec'd C/D. $113. Assays of Ores.
12	339	10	Rec'd Off. oath of Annie Hassett, Helper, in the General Department.
15	345	14	~~14 344 12~~ 14 Express distances to Warsaw, Ky, has not been verified.
15	346	14	Approving appt of Elias Ahaus, as a Cutter, @ $2.90 vice E. F. Kennedy, dropped.
15	347	14	Approving transfer & appt of John Crawford, as a Cutter in the Coinage dept.
15	348	14	Approving the appt of Jesse Watson, as a Laborer @ $2.75 vice John Crawford, transferred.
15	349	14	Approving the transfer & appt of Henry C. Little, as a Cutter, @ $2.90.
15	350	14	Do. appt of James Murphy as a Laborer @ $2.75 vice H. C. Little, transf'd.

1884, ~~May~~ April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl		Apl	
16	353	15	Rec'd Statement of Silver Purchased Mch 16 @ 31/84.
16	354	15	Reports assay of Test Coins for February, 1884.
17	357	16	Rec'd C/D. $953.27, Parting, Refining & Toughening charges for March 1884.
17	358	16	Rec'd C/D $38.- a/c charges other than Parting & Refining.
18	360½	17	Requisition for Supplies for the Denver Mint
18	361	17	Purchase of Silver Bullion, 220,000, oz - 1.1195 @ 1.1210.
18	362	17	Rec'd off. oath of Geo. A. Frame, Machinist gen'l dept.
18	363	17	Rec'd off. oath of John Skillton Night Watchman, gen'l dept.
18	364	17	Rec'd off. oath of Maggie E. Corbly, Adjuster, Coiners dept.
19	365½	18	Mails 1,000 Cashiers Statements of Balances #231, in place of the ones now in order
19	366	18	Rec'd off. oath of Lizzie McCullough, Adjuster,
23	377	22	Rec'd off. oath of James P. Murphy, Laborer, in the general dept.

1884, April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl 23	373	Apl 22	Recd off. oath of Jesse Watson Laborer, Sund dept.
24	375	23	Recd off. oath of Elias Abrams, Cutter.
25	381	24	Purchase of Silver Bullion.
25	382	24	Sends ps. dft. for Gold Dollars of 1884.
26	384	25	The Secy Treas thinks it not Expedient to encourage the Exportation of fine Gold bars. Coin should be sent instead.
26	385	25	Verifying Tel. - Cannot answer until Secretary is out of Cabinet meeting
26	386	25	Verifying Tel - Secretary deems Exchange of Gold Bars, inexpedient
26	387	25	Sends 2 Weigh Clerks' Books of Silver Purchases & deposits. #190.
26	388	25	J. W. Helfrick, Asst Foreman Coining Room, assigned, has been dropped from the Register
29	391½	29	Requests Set of Presidential & other Medals.
26	389	25	Approving appt of N. S. Beckley, as Asst Foreman, Coining Room

1884, May

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 1	394	April 30	Requisition for one standard Coin guage for the Carson Mint to measure stack of 20 S.S. dollars
2	395	May 1	Purchase of Silver 190.000 oz 1.1182 @ 1.1215
2	396	1	1.100.000. S.S. dollars to be coined in May 1884
3	398	2	Allotment of Silver Dollars not to be increased for May. Gold Bullion to be coined as fast as other business will permit coinage of half Eagles to be resumed as rapidly as possible
3	399	2	Receives special assay Coins of April 1884
3	400	2	Sends draft for Silver and Minor Coins proof Set of 1884
5	401	3	23 Gold and 27 Silver Army Marksmanship Medals with bill $1.758.49 to Genl Benet Chief of Ordnance U.S.A.
5	402	3	Receives statement Silver purchased April 16 @ 20. 1884
5	403	3	Acknowledging the receipt of the oath of N.S. Beckley Asst Foreman in the Coining Dept
6	404	5	Certificates of deposit were not enclosed in letter of 3rd inst, and have not been received
6	405	6	Sends additional table of distance for shipments of standard Silver dollars

1884 May

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 7	407	May 6	Melters and Refiners Statements and expenses of refining for Jan Feb. March and April not received
7	408	6	Mails 1.000 Requisitions for supplies
9	415	8	Has requested that 1.000.000. S.S. dollars be placed to Supt's. credit with Asst Treas JVY
9	416	8	Purchase of Silver 115.000. ozs. 11171 @ "94
10	418	9	Requisition for $38.000. for May expenses Approved
10	419	9	Collins wants some old coins
12	421	10	Mon Phillips bill $41.30 for one barrel of bone ash for the Denver Mint, received and forwarded to the Mint for payment, will furnish size of Flag, when received from Denver
12	422	10	Received ordinary Refining and S.D. Dollar expense and accounts for March 1884
13	423½	12	Requisition for 1 counting board for Asst Treas at Phila
14	426	13	How many proof trade dollars were struck in 1883
16	432	15	The name of Andrew Stief weigher in the Coiner Dept, resigned, has been dropped from the "Official Register" of the Mint Service
16	433	15	Purchase of Silver 235.000. ozs 1.1175 @ "87
19	435	17	Requisition for 1 L.S. Medal without inscription with bill in duplicate for payment
19	436	17	Sends 250 blank Bonds to accompany proposals for supplies

1884 May

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 19	437	May 17	Certificate of Deposits nos 5962 and 5963 have never reached this office
19	438	17	Received statements silver purchased May 1st to 15th 1884
20	440	18	Mails blank forms for Monthly reports of Annual Assay commission
20	441	19	Mails 100. Reports of Coiners Monthly Gold and Silver workings, to be used in place of form #67
23	446	22	Have made requisition on the Public Printer for Blank forms and Books called for the 10th inst they will be mailed soon as received.
23	447	22	Purchase of 135.000, ozs silver 1.1160 @ "72
23	448	9	Has requested advance of $1500. for refining expenses
23	449	22	Approving the transfer and appointment of Henry C Hickok as Chief Clerk in the General department
23	450	22	Approving the transfer and appointment of L R Cowperthwaite as Book Keeper in the Gen'l" dep't
23	451	22	Sends check $53.00. for 53 Gold Dollars for a Golden Wedding
24	455	23	Return vouchers signed for one L.S. Medal rec'd acc't forwarded to "Secty of Treas" for payment

1884 May, June,

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 26	456	May 24	Examined approved and referred O.R. and D.A.D. expenses and accounts for February 1884
26	457	24	The Flag for the Denver Mint should be 9 ft by 20 ft
27	457½		Returns 3 soft metal impressions of dies for "Skirmishing Marksmanship Medals", also rides for same approved by War Dep't, orders 1 Gold, 11 Silver, 54 Bronze Medals, accounts to the Mint Bureau for payment.
27	458	26	Repeat assays of Test coins in March 1884
27	459	24	Acknowledging the receipt of the Oath of Office of L R Cowperthwaite Book Keeper in the Gen'l dep't
27	459½	26	Acknowledging the receipt of the oath of Office of Henry C Hickok Chief Clerk in the Gen'l Dep't
28	460	27	Has approved and referred, O.R, and D.A.D. expense accounts for the month of March 1884
29	461	28	The suspension of Minor coinage is under consideration, until a decision is made prefers not to invite proposals for copper
29	462	28	Approving the appointment of Edward J Hilferty as "cabinet" Vice Granville Horne removed
31	464	29	Purchase of Silver 105.000. ozs 1.11187 @ "21
June 4	472	June 3	Approving Requisition for May expenses to the amount of $43.577.62.

1884 June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June 4	473	June 3	Received Specie assay coins for the month of May 1884
5	477	4	To coin 1,140,000, Silver Dollars in June 1884
6	478	5	Purchase of Silver 165,100 ozs 1,1160 @ 67.
6	479	5	Wants the fineness of the Grain Bars, of G.L. sent to the Refinery in April 1884, entered in the Statement No 95. herewith returned for the purpose
6	480	5	Has requested transfer of 1,000,000, S.D. to Supt's credit with asst Treas at New York.
9	481	7	Enclosing authority to advertise "Proposals for Supplies", for fiscal Year ending June 30 1885 in "Call", "Bulletin", "Inquirer, + Item"
9	482	7	Mails 1.000. Assayers Reports Form #254.
10	486	9	To discontinue forwarding Synopses of Engineer Log" to the Director, can require it of the Engineer for his own information + files.
11	488	10	Wants the fineness stated in the enclosed Refinery Statement for April 1884.
12	491	11	When will the Supt be ready to commence the annual Settlement? Representative of the Mint Bureau will be present,
12	492	11	Supt authorized to substitute his own form of Advertising for "Proposals for Supplies"

1884, June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June		June	
13	494	13	On a deposit of Trade dollars for fine bars, a refining charge should be imposed, which includes the per deposit charges of $1,00. for each Melt of 1.000,ozs or less & in addition to the Refining charge, the Bar Charge
13	495	12	Have mailed this day 1,000, abstract Clerk's Rec'pt Form #252, and 1.000. Form #253.
13	496	12	Purchase of Silver 240.000.ozs 1.1150 @ 68.
13	497	12	Received Officiae Oath of Office of E F Hilferty "Cabinet," in the General Department,
14	498	March 3rd 1882	Returns the bills of Robert Briggs for services rendered in examining Ventilation of the Mint
14	499	13	Enclosing letter received from Henry G Morris Administrator Est of Robert Briggs
14	500	13	No bar charge is to be imposed on bullion requiring parting or refining "Telegram Made Officiae"
14	501	13	Order to place 1.000.000. dollars to sup'ts credit with ass't Treas" NY, doubtless received and credited
14	502	13	Discrepancy of 2¢ between C/D and amount reported in Bullion a/c 4/2/83
14	503	13	Has requested the Secretary of the Treasury to cause the sum of $502.532.90 to be deposited in the treasury in your name, also that your Bullion Fund be increased by a transfer of the same amount, being the balance of Silver Coinage profits 4th qr/83

1884 June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June		June	
16	509	14	Suggests fewer entries and greater simplification of the Bullion accounts.
16	510	16	Method of reporting deliveries of silver, wants statement of deliveries and purchases from Handy and Cronise, March 13th/84 (not Feb) of 2,000,000, ozs
16	511	14	Acknowledging the receipt of 1. Gold 11 silver & 54 Bronze Skirmish Medals, and transmitted accounts to Chief of Ordnance.
16	512	14	Asking for Gold Dollar coinage of 1884.
16	513	16	Approved and referred Bullion accounts 4th Quarter 1883.
18	518	17	Error of 60¢ in September bill 1883 - for the transportation of silver in the footing of the accounts
18	519	17	Reports assay of test coins for April 1884, one silver dollar below the legal limit of tolerance for weight,
18	520	17	Encloses statement of Earnings & Expenditures 4th Qr/83 - to be returned with a corrected one.
19	521	18	Mails 125 - Reports of assay coins & deliveries Form #125
19	522	18	Enquires if the Gold Bullion could not be weighed up at an earlier date than the 30th inst
19	523	18	Transmits an additional table of distances, for shipment of S.S. Dollars

1884 June.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June		June	
19	524	18	C/D #5962, for $915.16, on account of refinery charges received, endorsed and forwarded to Secty of Treas"
19	525	18	C/D #5977. for $879.85, on account of Parting & Refining Charges for May 1884. receivd endorsed & forwarded to Secretary of Treasury
19	526	18	C/D #5963. for $43.80 for Melting and alloy charges for April 1884. receivd. endorsed and forwarded to Secretary of Treasury
19	527	18	C/D #5978 for $43.22 on account of Melting & Alloy Charges for May 1884. receivd endorsed and forwarded to Secretary of Treasury
20	529	19	Purchase of Silver 160.100 - ozs 1.1136 @ 44.
20	530	19	Referring to old Material sold, request statement showing Material sold and the price paid.
20	531	19	Assayers report of Special Assay Coin for May 1884
21	534	20	When may expect to receive your Bullion accounts 1st Quarter 1884
21	535	20	To pay all indebtedness, close accounts, forward all statements for the Quarter and Fiscal year as per regulation
23	541	20	Cannot return light-weight Silver dollar, it has been assayed
24	542	23	Requests that 2 Silver L. S. Medals be struck, and forwarded with accounts in duplicate

1884 June. July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June		June	
24	543	23	Purchasing rates of silver in lots of less than 10.000 ozs, will be 110 6/10 cts per oz until further notice
24	544	23	Messrs Gross and Spackman of the Mint Bureau will be here on the 25th inst to assist in the annual settlement.
24	545	23	Requests statement on Form #95, statement of the fineness of Gold and Silver "Grain Bars", and of Commercial bar - sent to refinery during May 1884
24	546	23	C/D #5971 for $12.10 A/c of Old Material Sold
25	547	24	Bill for cost of 5¢ Counting Board has been referred to Sec'ty of Treas", to reimburse supt's appropriation
25	548	24	Fixing the purchasing rate of silver
26	550½	25	Requisition for 20 pairs S.S.D. - Dies for the San Francisco Mint
27	552	26	Purchase of silver 50.000 ozs at 1,1046.
27	553	26	"He is here at the Dep't" Telegram Made Officer
28	557	27	Purchase of silver 90,000. ozs. 1,1040 @ "48.
28	558	27	Received 2 silver L.S. Medals, and account for same returns Medal Fund Vouchers, signed in Duplicate
30.	559.	28.	Requested Secretary of Treasury to advance $1,000 - to meet expenses of Refinery for June.
July		June	
1	561	30	Sends One book of Assayers forms #129
		July	
3	567	1.	Requisition for 1 Gold Life S.S Medal

1884 July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
3	568	1	Enclosing for payment Bills of the "Call" "Enquiri" and "Bulletin" for advertising Proposals for Supplies, for 1884-85.
3	569	2	When will you resume Coining and what number of S.D. dollars will you be able to coin.
3	570	1	Sends supply of Dept circulars relating to the purchase Exchange & redemption of Minor Coins
3	571	1	Sends Statement of balance reported by Ass't Treas at N.Y. to Supt's credit June 28, 1884
7	575	3	Purchase of Silver 150.000 ozs at 1.1085. @ 1.1110.
7	576	3	Mails 1.000 Abstract-Clerk's Deliveries of Gold Bullion form #143.
7	577	3	Receives Special Assay Coins, reserved from the Coinage during June 1884.
7	578	5	Mails 24 small time books, form #258½.
7	579	5	Receives C/D #5993 for $840.91, for Melting and Alloy charges for June 1884.
7	580	5	Receives C/D #5992 for $981.31 for parting and refining Charges for June 1884.
8	585	7	Fixes Coinage of P.P. Dollis for July 1.000,000 pieces
8	586	7	Requests a transfer from the Bullion fund of the Assay Office N.Y. to the Mint at Phila.
9	587	8	Returns Coiners Monthly Report for May- for Supt's Signature.

1884 July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
10	589	9	Examined and referred Medal account for Second quarter 1884.
10	590	9	Has requested Secretary of Treasury to advance $1.000 for expenses of refining for July 1884.
10	591	9	Approves requisition for funds for Salaries Etc for July 1884.
11	594	10	Purchase of Silver 235.000 ozs 1,1095 D1,1110.
11	595	10	In relation to the Signature of Asst Sexton "Nee" Miss E.E. Thorn.
11	596	10	Thinks the Contract for Muriatic Acid should be awarded to Lenning & Co or Parrish & Steele
11	597	10	Regulation provide that the Minor Coins may be forwarded in sums of $20. or any Multiple thereof.
12	598	11	Can pay for any silver bullion purchased at your Mint, by draft on the Asst Treas at N.Y.
14	601	12	Approving the removal of Robert D Tait. Laborer
14	601½	12	Approving the appointment of Robert Bell.
14	602	12	The number of Silver Medals manufactured during the year appears to have been 514 and not 524 as entered thereon.
14	603	12	Approving the transfer and appointment of John Crawford as an Annealer.
14	604	12	Approving the appointment of Chas F. Sauer.

1884 July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
14	605	12	Approving the transfer and appointment of Philip Dickel.
14	606	12	Sends Copy of Act Making appropriation for the Legislative Executive and Judicial expenses of the Government for Fiscal Year ending June 30/85
14	607	12	The name of Henry Ingham Deceased, will be dropped from the Official Register.
14	608	12	Has requested the Secty of Treas" to increase your Bullion Fund by a transfer of $1.000.000 P.S. Dollars
15	610	14	Approved and returned Bill of Stationery Rent May 22nd 1884.
15	611	14	Mails 2 Books, Receipts and deliveries of Gold Bullion and Coin Form #256.
15	612	14	In reference to proposal for Muriatic Acid
15	613	14	Annual Statement of Coinage and Medal Dies Manufactured, returned for Corrections.
16	616	15	Mails 3 Ledgers, Coiners Department.
16	617	15	Approving the Appointment of Hattie B Tidd.
17	620	16	Wants the fineness of the grain bars, and Assay bars, added to enclosed form #95 for June 1884
18	623	17	Approving the transfer and appointment of Gustav Reichart Laborer.
18	624	17	Complains of an Alleged Alteration in Statement of Medals Manufactured, Sent for Correction.

1884 July.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
18	625	17	Purchase of Silver 200.000 ozs 1.1105 @ 22.
18	626	17	Approving the appointment of James A Briggs as a Night Watchman.
18	627	17	Approving the removal of John Mc Connell, Lab.
18	628	17	Approving the appointment of Rebecca B Biles as an Assistes.
18	629	17	Received C/D #6007 for $109. on account of Assay of Ores.
18	630	17	Received Statement of Old Materials sold, Certificate not enclosed.
18	631	17	Received C/D #6003, for $225.000. on account of Minor Coinage profits.
18	632	17	Received C/D #5999, for $621, on account of profits on Medals and Proof Coins.
19	634	18	Wants Estimate of the cost of fabricating 1. 2½ and 5¢ Nickel Coins for the Govt of Ecuador Rt.
19	635	18	Fixing the purchasing rate of Silver.
19	636	18	Approving the appointment of Alfred Thwaite, Lab.
19	637	18	Forward to Mint at New Orleans 10. pair U.S. Doll Dies
21	640	19	As requested returns Statement of Medals Manufactured, for the Fiscal Year 1883-84.
22	642	21	Approving the Awards for Supplies for the Fiscal Year 1884-85.

1884 July-

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
22	643	21	Acknowledging the receipt of the Oath of Office of Charles F Dann, Cutter-
22	644	21	Returned Statement of Old Material sold to the First Auditor of Treasury-
22	645	21	Have there been any Proof Trade dollars of 1884 struck and issued-
28	648	22	Acknowledging the receipt of the Oath of Office of James A Briggs- Night Watchman-
24	651	24	Sends Copy of Department Circulars relative to Registry Stamps-
24	652	23	Correction made in the name of Isaac Bell-
24	653	24	Requests Bullion Accounts for quarter ended March 31. 1884-
25	657	24	Purchase of Silver 170.000 ozs 1.1065 @ 74-
25	658	24	Relative to the appointment of Mrs Mary J Reese
26	660	25	Sends fifty cents for 5 ten cent piece Blank-
28	661	26	Approving the Appointment of Mrs Mary J Reese
28	662	26	Recived Letter of July 25th enclosing 1. Gold Life Saving Medal-
28	663	26	Statement of Silver purchased from July 1st to 15th, received-
29	667	28	Sends Table of distances to make payment on Shipment of P.S. Dollars-

July - 1884 - August

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
30	669	29	Sends $1.50 for two half dollars and two quarter dollars Coinage of 1884 -
30	670	29	Received Bullion account for quarter ending March 31st 1884 -
31	671	30	Approving the appointment of David Chester as Laborer in General Department -
31	672	30	Approving the removal of Charles A Carpenter Laborer in General Department -
31	673	30	The name of Mrs Emma H Stevenson, Assistant in Coiner Dept, resigned, has been dropped from the "Official Register" of the Mint Service.
Aug 1	674	31	Approving the appointment of George C. Wilkins as a Conductor -
1	675	31	Purchase of Silver 180.000 ozs 1.1080 @ 87.
1	676	31	Ordinary Expenses account for Second Quarter have not been received.
2	679	Aug 1	The name of Hillary Conner Roller in Coiners Dept Resigned, has been dropped from the Official Register
2	680	1	Henry Malone's appointment as Roller, Approved
2	681	1	In reference to pay rolls for Workmen &c
2	682	1	Received Special Assay Coins reserved during July -
4	684	2	Rec'd Official Oaths of Alfred Thwaite & Isaac Bell, R C Biles H B Lisa & W J Reese -

1884 August

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
4	685	2	Recd Ordinary Refining and S.D. Doll Expense Account for April May + June -
4	686	2	Received Statement of Minor Coinage Operations for July 1884.
4	687	2	Requests Annual Statement of Purchase and Deposits and Gold + Silver of Domestic productions for Fiscal Year 1884 -
5	689	4	Returns Statement of Silver purchased, for Correction
5	690	4	Sends $1.94 for Proof Set Silver and Minor Coinage -
6	692½	5	To Coin 1,200,000 S.D. dolls during Current Month
7	695	6	Requisition for expenses for Month of August has been Approved -
7	696	6	Ordinary + Refinery Accounts for April May + June 1884 -
7	697	6	Uncurrent Silver Coins transferred for recoinage Should be converted into dimes
8	700	7	Purchase of Silver 225,000 ozs at 1.11 @ 1.1104 -
8	701	7	Requested Secty of Treas to advance $1,000 from the Appn for Parting + Refining and $5000 from the Appn for the Coinage of S.D. Dolls -
11	706	9	Requested Secretary of Treas to advance $5000 to meet expenses during August -
11	707	9	Requests that the Bullion fund Accounts for Quarter ending June 30 1884 be forwarded

1884 August

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
12	709	11	Acknowledging the receipt of the Oath of Office of Henry Maloney Roller in the Coiners Dept.
13	710	12	Received C/D #6042 for $64.05 on account of Miscellaneous Charges.
13	711	12	Received C/D #6041 for $1.140.05 on account of Refinery Charges.
13	712	12	You will please close accounts of Ordinary Expenses for the Fiscal year 1884.
14	714	13	Attention called to an error in Abstract Sheet of January 1884.
14	715	13	Received C/D #6055 for $2.09 unexpended balance of Appropriation for Wages for 1884
14	716	13	It will answer to forward accounts, when Supt returns from his Annual vacation [Telegram made Official]
14	717	13	Recd C/D #6054 for $1.046.82 on account of unexpended balance of Appropriation for 1884 has been received.
14	718	13	Bullion Fund increased by transfer of $1.000.000.
15	720	14	Purchase of Silver 195,000 ozs 1.1072 d 84.
18	724	16	Requested Secty of Treas to cause to be deposited in Supts Name $484.990.43 on Acct of Coinage profits on U.S. Dolls + fractional Silver Coin.
19	725	18	Examined + Referred Bullion Acct, for Quarter Ending March 31. 1884.

1884 August - Sept -

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
22	730	21	Purchase of Silver 225.000 ozs 1,1070 & 79
25	732	23	Encloses Transfer letter of Treas of 268 in favr of Pope Cole & Co
26	733	25	Requests information as to when the Bullion Accounts and Statements may be expected -
28	736	27	Recvd Supplemental Ordinary Expense Acct for Fiscal Year ended June 30 1884 -
28	737	27	To which of the appropriations is C/o #6065 for $8.10 to be credited.
29	739	28	Acknowledging the receipt of the Cash of Offices of George C Wilkins, Conductor -
29	740	28	Returns Vouchers 2 of Supplemental Ordinary Account, not sufficiently explicit -
29	741	28	Purchase of Silver 250 000 ozs 1.1076 & 1.1083 -
30	748	29	The name of Lorenzo Schmitz Actuster, resigned, has been dropped from the Official Register -
30	744	29	Recvd Bullion Account for Quarter ending June 30 - 1884 -
30	745	29	Sends $1.00 25/100 for 1 Gold dollar and 1 quarter dollar Coinage 1884 -
Sept 1	746	30	Recvd Statement of earnings and expenditures for quarter ending June 30 1884, also same for Fiscal year 1884, losses on Melting & Refining &c

Sept 1884.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
1	747	August 30	Returns Voucher "L" of Supplementary account of Ordinary Expenses for fiscal year 1884.
2	751	1	Recd C/D #6065 for $8.15 on account of repayment to the Appn for Contingent expenses.
2	753	1	Approving the Appointment of James Beale Counter in Coiners Dept.
2	753½	1	Enclosing letter from John B Wilson - Washington D.C.
3	754	2	Requests amount and cost of Silver delivered on purchases at your Mint in August.
3	755	2	Where did you get the rates for transportation of Silver dollars to Brooks Falls, Kansas, and Brighamon Dakota.
3	756	2	Receives Statement of Silver purchases at your Mint from 1st to 15th August 1884.
3	757	2	Approving Appointment of Miss Kezziah McKibben as an Adjuster.
3	758	2	Requests Secty of Treas to deposit $448,947.78 on account of the profits on coinage of Silver dollars
4	758½	3	Recd Std Sil Dolls forwarded for assay, letter not received
4	760	3rd	Sends an additional table of distances.
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4	761	3	Requests that hereafter at the close of each Month statement will be sent showing the cost of Silver and the amount delivered on account of purchases for the Std Sil Dollar Coinage.
5	764	4	Receives Oath of Office James Beale, Counter in Coiners dept.
5	765	4	To Coin 1.200,000 S.D. Dolls during September

1884 Sept.-

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
9	769	8	Correction in purchase of Silver Sept 4th 1884
9	770	8	Reply to Superintendents Letter of 6th inst. Mem 1246 Gold bullion from U.S. Assay Office Boise City
11	771	10	Postmaster General has fixed the rates of telegraph Messages
11	772	10	Referring to the Abstract sheets of domestic purchases, accompanying Bullion Accounts for quarter ended June 30 1884
11	772½	10	Upon investigation I learn at the Treasurers Office that through an oversight I.O. was sent to Boise City instead of to your Mint-
12	774	11	Purchase of Silver 235,000, ozs 1,1070 @ 82-
12	775	11	Approved requisition for funds to meet expenses during Sept 1884-
13	778	12	Zimmerman & Forshay's Offer of 4th inst as received at this Office reads "dollar ten- Ninety five-
15	778½	13	You will enter in your quarterly accounts the amounts received for Making Assays of ores & Bullion-
15	779	13	Estimated amount in value of Gold in Coin in the World, and also in the Arts & Jewelry-
15	780	13	Sends $2.00 for 5 dimes 4 quarters and 1 half dollar Coinage of 1884-
16	782	15	Error in calculation, purchase of Silver from J.R. Lee

1884. Dept -

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
16	783	15	Recd Oath of Office of Kezziah W. Kibbey Assistant in Coiners Dept -
17	785	16	Bullion fund increased by transfer of 1.000,000 U.S. dollars -
17	790	16	Received estimate of Appropriations for the fiscal year 1886 -
18	791	17	Requests all the correspondence with John W. Arthur relative to bills of Robert Briggs
18	792	17	Examined & referred supplementary Ordinary expense account for the fiscal year ending June 30 1884 -
18	793	17	Ord referred to Envelopes to be used in Correspondence with the Assay Office at Charlotte N.C.
19	794	18	Purchase of Silver 250.000 ozs 1,1072 @ 85 -
19	795	18	Received Ordinary Refinery and coinage of U.S. Dol accounts, abstract & Vouchers for Month ending July 31st 1884
19	796	18	You are authorized to come to Washington on Official business [Telegram made Official]
20	797	19	One million Silver dollars placed to your credit with Asst Treas at New York -
22	799	20	Wants statement, similar to the one on page 5 of my annual report of last year, Viz: Gross ozs of bullion sent to Acid Refinery, Standard Gold contained Standard Silver Contained

1884 Sept.-

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
23	802	22	Received Statement of Silver purchases.
24	804	23	Approving the awards to Pope Cole & Co for Copper.
26	807	25	Purchase of Silver 150,000, ozs 110,83 à 97.
26	808	25	Attention called to parting and refining charge imposed on the deposits contained in the abstract sheets of Bullion accounts for quarter ended June 30-1884-
26	809	25	In reference to the Manufacture of fine Gold bars and Silver bars-
26	810	26	Received Register of gold and silver deposits and silver purchases for quarter ended June 30- 1884-
27	811	26	Returns for Superintendents Signature, Coiners Monthly report of gold and Silver Workings for Month of August 1884-
27	812	26	The name of Thwaite Laborer in General Dept has been changed to Thwaites, on the Official Registry-
29	814	27	Examined & referred Bullion account for quarter ending Jan 30 1884-
29	815	27	Profit and loss account, Suggests as to disposition of Sweeps-
29	816	27	Examined and referred Std Sil Doll, ordinary Refinery accounts, for the two months ending Aug 31st 1884-

1884 October

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
1st	818	Sept 30	Sends table of distances for shipment of Std Silver dollars.
2	821	1	Requests statement of deposits and purchases and Gold and Silver of domestic production, for the Month of September 1884.
2	822	1	Received statement of Minor Coinage for the Month of September
3	825	2	Purchases of Silver 200,000 ozs @ 1,067 d 78
3	826	2	1,300,000 S.D dollars to be coined during October
3	827	2	Assayers report of test coins issued at the Mint in June 1884.
6	832	4	Approving requisition for funds to meet expenses of Mint for Month of October.
6	833	4	Received coins reserved for special assay
6	834	4	Requests statement on the form for the Coiners Monthly report, of Gold and Silver workings.
7	835	6	Forwards bar marked No 8, from the destruction of Old Seals, wishes the value forwarded.
7	836	6	Sends two Silver bars and one Gold bar, resulting from the chips, and slips of Coins sent for special Assay, wishes the value forwarded.
10	840	9	Purchase of Silver 215.000 ozs 1.1085 d 97.
10	841	9	Requests information as to the number of ingots prepared by Mr. R, number of ounces of Gold & Silver

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
11	844	10	Lizzie Bender Adjustor, resigned, name will be dropped from the Official Register.
11	846	10	Approving Appointment of Margie Cassel, adjustor.
13	847	11	Returns Dr + R Statement (95) showing the number of ounces of Gold + Silver Operated on -
14	849	13	Bullion Fund increased by transfer of $1.000.000.
15	851	14	Approving the increase in the Compensation of Walter C Penrod Assistant in the Genl Dept.
15	852	14	Approving the increase in the Compensation of John B Hunterson "Cabinet", in Genl Dept.
15	853	14	Received Report of Medals and proof Coins sold and on hand, also Coines Report of Medals and proof Coins Manufactured during Quarter ending Sept 30. 1884.
15	854	14	Sends table of distances - for Shipment of Standard Silver Dollars.
15	855	14	Examined and referred Medal Fund account for Quarter ending Sept 30. 1884.
15	856	14	Requests that Dies for the Calendar Year 1885 be prepared.
15	857	14	Requests Dies to be made and forwarded to the Mint at New Orleans.
15	858	14	Examined + referred your Ordinary Special accounts for fiscal Year ended June 30 1884.

1884 October

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
17	860	16	Purchase of Silver 245.000 ozs at $1.1062 ½ 70
17	861	16	Returns Ass + R Statement No 95 Showing the number of ounces of Gold + Silver Operated upon in the Refinery:
17	862	16	Forwards package improperly addressed to this Office from J L Bowles + Co, Augusta Georgia.
18	867	17	Relative to the rates for transporting Silver dollars to Warsaw Indiana.
20	868	18	Requests half dozen copies of blank forms No 95
20	869	18	Receive Ordinary Refinery and Standard Silver dollar account for Month ending Sept 30. 1884.
21	871	20	Calls attention to the Statement Showing the per centage of Gold Coin produced.
21	873	20	In reference to dies made for Medals for Major General Edward P Gaines.
21	874	20	Forwarded on the 6th inst a box containing Gold and Silver Bullion, have you received it?
22	880	21	Recd C/D No 6115 for $420 on account of profits on Medals.
22	881	21	Recd C/D No 6114 for $120. on account of Assays of Ores for Quarter ending Sept 30 1884.
22	882	21	Recd C/D 6110 for $58 ¼ for Melting and bar Charges for Sept 1884.
22	883	21	Recd C/D 6109 for $901 85 on account of parting + Refining Charges

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
22	884	21	Recd C/D 6111 for $7.40 on account of old Material sold.
22	885	21	Recd C/D No 6125 for $5944 on account of Surplus Bullion.
23	888	22	Returns Coiners monthly report of Gold and Silver Workings for September, for Superintendents Approval
24	890	23	Notification of Silver Purchase 265,000 ounces at 1,1019 @ 40.
24	891	23	Returns for correction Melter and Refiners Statement for December last.
24	892	23	Received C/D No 6124 for 180.000, on account of Mint Coinage profits.
25	894	24	Examined and referred Ordinary Refinery and Std Silver dollar accounts for Sept 1884.
27	895	25	Approving the appointment of Isaac J Jacobs as a Laborer.
27	896	25	Approving the removal of Isaac Bell, Laborer.
27	897	25	Miss Maria W Thayer, Adjuster, having resigned, her name will be dropped from the Official Register.
27	899	25	Miss S Hamrick adjuster, having resigned, her name will be dropped from the Official Register.
28	899	27	Approving transfer and appointment of Jno Crawford from Annealer to Cleaner, in Coiners Department
28	900	27	Approving transfer and appointment of Thos Gillespie

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
28	901	27	Approving Appointment and transfer of William Knapp as a cutter in the Coiners Department
28	902	27	Approving transfer and Appointment of John B Slates as Cleaner in the Coins Department.
28	902½	27	In reference to Counting Boards and Hoppers, asks that Repairs be Made at Mint.
29	904	28	Sends 100 Copies of Directors Annual Report.
29	905	28	In reference to a Coining Press for D.C. Exposition
29	906	28	The Metric weights sent by Eimer and Amend has been received.
29	907	28	The Value of the Bullion forwarded on the 6th inst for the State Department has been received
29	908	28	The Bullion returns sent on the 6th inst has been received
30	910	29	Requests Gold dollar Coinage of 1884.
31	9		
31	912	30	Purchase of Silver 140,000 ozs 1,0999 & 1.1005
31	913	30	Recvd Register of Gold and Silver deposits and Silver purchases for the Quarter ending Sept 30 1884.
31	914	30	Fixing the purchasing rates of Silver in lots of less than 10.000, ounces, at one hundred nine and nine tenth per oz.

1884 Nov-

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Nov		Oct	
1	915	31	Sends draft for $112.00, value of coins reserved during the six months ended June 30 1884-
1	916	31	Fixing the purchasing rate of silver in lots of less than ten thousand ounces, at one hundred nine and three quarter cents per oz-
1	917	31	Assayers report upon special assay coins for August 1884-
1	918	31	Assayers report upon special coins for July 1884-
1	919	31	Assayers report upon special assay coins for Sept-embers 1884-
4	921	3	Received Oath of Offici of Margaretta A Cassell Adjuster-
4	922	3	The coins reserved at your Mint during the Month of October for Special Assay, have been received
4	923	3	Requests one hundred Gold dollars
4	924	3	Received Oath of Offici of Isaac J Jacobs Laborer
5	925	4	Relative to the discrepancy of $29- in the amount of the draft sent on account of Assay Coins
5	926	4	Purchasing rate of silver in lots of less than thous-ands ozs will be one hundred and nine cents per oz June-
6	927	5	To Coin 1.350.000 Std Sil dolls during this month
6	928	5	Sends 75¢ for one half and one quarter dollar Coinage of current year-

1884 Nov.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
7	931	6	Requests dies for Calendar year 1885 be prepared for the U.S. Mint at San Francisco.
7	932	6	Purchase of Silver 200,000 ozs @ $1.0948.
8	933	7	Approving requisition for funds to meet expenses of Institution for Nov 1884.
8	934	7	Receipt One hundred gold dollars forwarded as per advice of 5th inst.
12	939	11	Please send form for Advertising for "blanks".
12	940	11	Fixing the purchasing rate of Silver in lots of less than 10,000 ozs at One hundred eight and eight tenth cents
12	941	11	Approving Appointment of Laura Galbraith Adjuster.
12	942	11	Approving transfer and appointment of Mrs N N Dunton as a Counter.
12	943	11	Approving removal of Mary Baldridge Adjuster.
12	944	11	Approving Appointment of Harriet E Blakiston Adjuster
12	945	11	Sends small piece of Gold bullion request return of the value.
13	947	12	The name of Mrs M L Yardley Adjuster, resigned has been dropped from the Official Register
13	948	12	Fixing the purchasing rate of Silver
13	949	12	The name of Sarah J Gillam Adjuster, resigned has been dropped from the Official Register

1884 Nov-

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
13	950	12	Appvng Appointment of Miss Susan A Chadwick as an Adjuster-
13	951	12	Appvng Appointment of Rowl K Elliott, Lab-
14	953	13	Recvd C/D No 6144 for $62.27 on account of Melting and Alloy charges-
14	954	13	Recd C/D No 6143 for $1107.65 on account of parting and Refining Charges-
14	955	13	Reduce purchasing rate of Silver-
14	956	13	Requested Secty of Treas to increase Bullion fund
14	957	13	Authority granted to have Book for use of Dr + R, made in Phila-
14	958	13	Purchase of 230.000 ozs Silver @ 1.0825 @ 35-
15	960	13	Authority given to Advertise for "Blanks", in Evening "Call" and Inquirer"
17	963	15	Requests proof sets for Calendars years 1883-1884-
18	967	17	Fixing the price to be paid for Mutilated coin
19	968	18	Received Oath of Offici of Miss Laura Galbraith, Adjuster
19	969	18	Receive Oath of Offici Rowl K Elliott, Laborer-
19	970	18	Received Oath of Offici of Susie A Chadwick Adjuster
20	972	19	Fixing rate to be paid for Mutilated Silver coin-
20	973	19	Requested Secty of Treas to Advance $10000 from appn Coinage Sta Sil Dollars

1884 Nov.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
21	975	20	Approving the award to Jas D Watson & Son for one cent unmilled blanks.
21	976	20	Received Ordinary Refinery and Std Sil doll acct for Month ending Oct 31st 1884.
21	977	20	Requests the name of Machinist in Phila who Manufacture Mint Machines.
21	978	20	Purchase of Silver 225,000 ozs $1.0850 @ 95
22	982	21	Approving transfer and appointment of Alfred Thwaite
22	983	21	Approving the appointment of John McEwen, Lab.
22	984	21	Approving the appointment of James Hunsworth.
24	988	22	Sends 18 labels with necessary invoices and bills of lading, for New Orleans Exhibition.
24	989	22	Approves bill of $3,00 for advertising proposals for one cent unmilled blanks, "Evening Call"
25	990	24	Returns for correction, Silver Mint Receipts No 500.
25	991	24	Received corrected statement of earnings and expenditures for quarter ending Sept 30. 1884.
25	992	24	Approving of the changes in the designation of certain Employees.
25	993	24	Received Bullion accounts, abstracts & Vouchers for the quarter ending Sept 30 1884.
26	995	25	Returns for correction Mem No 1912. Gold bullion received from Assay Office Charlotte N C

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
28	996	26	Approving the increase of Compensation of Thomas J Gibson Laborer.
28	997	26	Examined and referred, Ordinary, Refining and Std Bil dold expense account for Month ending Oct 31st 1884.
28	998	26	Please purchase and forward by Express twelve bottles Spts Ammonia to U S Mint Denver Col.
29	1002	28	Purchase of Silver 100.000 ozs $1,0867.
29	1003	28	Recd C/D No 6078 for $52.68 on account of melting and alloy charges.
29	1004	28	Recd C/D No 6077 for $1019.97 on account of parting and refining charges.
Dec 1	1004½	29	Approving transfer and appointment to Coining room of A J Lawrence Cutter.
1	1005	29	Approving the Apointment of Miss Catharine Baldwin as a helper.
1	1006	29	Approving the removal of Miss Lizzie Wilson as a helper.
2	1008	Dec 1	In reference to Rolling Mill ordered from the Ox and Hess Machine Co for New Orleans Mint.
3	1010	2	Helen E Brinton Adjuster, having resigned her name will be dropped from the Roll.
3	1011	2	Received Oath of Office of James Hunsworth Laborer in General department.

1884 Dec

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
3	1012	2	Recd Oath of Offic of Harriet E Blakiston Adjuster.
3	1013	2	Sends an additional table of distances for the Shipment of Std Silver dollars.
4	1017	3	Is coin 1,280,000 Std Sil dollars in December.
4	1018	3	Recd Oath of Offic of Catharine Baldwell helper in General department.
4	1019	3	Recd Oath of Offic of John H & Mc Ewen Lab in General department.
4	1020	4	Copies of letters in reference to the case of Mrs Lizzie Wilson late helper in general dept.
5	1025	4	Purchase of Silver 250,000 ozs @ 1.0812 & 70.
5	1026	4	Correct rate for transportation of silver dollars of Silver dollars to Ada, Minn. is $5.95 per thousand dollars.
5	1027	4	Fixing the purchasing rate of Silver $1.18 per oz fine.
6	1028	5	Sends additional table of distances for Shipment of Silver dollars.
6	1029	5	Requesting Secty of Treas to cause to be advanced $10,000 to meet expenses of Coinage Sil dollars
6	1030	5	Requisition for funds to meet expenses for Dec has been approved.
6	1031	5	Regist'd Secty of Treas to advance $1000 to Refinery for Dec

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
6	1032	5	Approving appointment of John H Haines, Lab-
6	1033	5	Forwards labels for New Orleans Exposition
6	1034	5	Received coins reserved for special assay for Month of November-
8	1036	6	Reduce purchasing rate of silver-
8	1037	5	Approving the removal of David Chester Laborer
8	1038	6	Approving Appointment of Miss Della Swain as an adjuster-
10	1042	9	In reference to toughening or refining silver by fluxing-
10	1043	9	Returns account of the Ormes Machine Co for boxing and Shipping Corning press to New Orleans Exposition, with request that it be made out on enclosed Vouchers-
10	1044	9	Recd Ordinary, Std Sil dollar and Refinery Expense account for Nov 1884-
10	1045	9	Referring to bill of Messrs Philips + Jacoby for 12 bottles Ammonia forwarded to Mint at Denver Colo
11	1045½	10	Wants Medals struck for Life Saving Rescue
12	1047	11	Purchase of Silver, 200,000 ozs 1,0767 a 76-
12	1048	11	Fixing purchasing rate of silver-
13	1049	12	Recd Oath of Office John H Haines Lab-
13	1050	12	Recd Oath of Office Della R Swain-

1884 Dec

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
13	1051	12	Enclosing letter recd from the Pres. Kansas City Smelting Co, also from Messrs Eyster + Eckfeldt.
13	1052	12	Requested that the bullion fund be increased by transfer of 1,000,000 -
13	1053	12	Recd letter in relation to two shipments of bullion from Charlotte Assay Office, contained much iron, no assay can be made that will accurately determine the amount of pure gold and silver
15	1055	12	Relative to case of Mrs Lizzie Wilson lately removed as helper in general department -
15	1056	13	Have written Superintendent of Mint at New Orleans in regard to the requisition for dies for the ensuing year -
16	1059	15	Recd C/D No 6158 for $53.17 on account of charges other than parting and refining -
16	1060	15	Recd C/D 6157 for $1150.55 on account of parting and refining charges.
16	1061	15	Requests statement of silver coin reserved for Special Assay for quarter ending March + September 1884.
16	1062	15	Requisition has been made upon the Printer for blank books and forms for your Mint.
17	1064	16	Requests that Cashier in making his daily statement of balances, to state the amount of each denomination, instead of aggregate amount
17	1065	16	Approving the removal of E. P. Hillsher, Roller in Coiner dept.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
18	1069	17	Approving the transfer and appointment of John H. Haines.
18	1070	17	Approving Appointment of Joseph Robinson.
18	1071	17	In reference to the case of Mrs Lizzie Wilson.
19	1072	17	In reference to disposition of Reverse dies.
19	1073	18	Purchase of Silver 225,000 ozs $1,0750 $1,0816.
19	1074	18	Received statements of Silver purchases from Dec 1st to the 15th 1884.
19	1075	18	In reference to the proposed addition of a foot note to the Cashier's daily Statement of balances.
19	1076	18	Sends Assayers report on Coins sent for Special Assay for Month of October 1884.
22	1080	20	Recd Nine Gold and Seventeen Silver Life Saving Medals
22	1081	20	Examined and referred your Ordinary, Refinery and Std Sil dollar accounts for Month of November 1884.
22	1082	20	I find the fineness of the fifth, sixth, & Seventh entries on the Mem of the Kansas City Smelting Co, should have been 981½ as stated in your letter.
22	1083	20	Wants One Silver Life Saving Medal struck and forwarded.
23	1084	22	Sends Assayers report upon Special Assay Coins for November.

1884 Dec

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
26	1086	24	Recd Oath of Offici of Joseph Robinson Laboer.
26	1087	24	Requests that 37 pairs of Std Silver dollar dies for the calendar year 1885, be prepared and sent to the Mint at New Orleans.
26	1088	24	Received list of Dies forwarded and returned by the Several Mints for Calendar years 1881, 1882 1883, 1884.
27	1090	26	Purchase of Silver 155.000 ozs 1,0805. d38.
30	1091	29	In reference to dies for Souvenir Medals to be struck at New Orleans Exposition, delay making any further preparation until advised from this Office.
29	1092	27	The Cashier reports that he received 1000 gold dollars from the Coiner, the latter makes no mention of the Manipulation of gold ingots for the Month of November.
29	1093	27	Relative to the request of Managers of World's Industrial and Cotton Exposition at New Orleans
31	1098	30	You are authorized to purchase Cashier's Blotter, in your City.
31	1099	30	Received one silver life saving Medal and forwarded same to the Secretary of Treasury.
31	1100	30	Sends draft on U.S. Treasurer for $10. for ten gold dollars, forwarded as per request.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
3	4	2	Purchase of Silver 290,000 ozs @ 1.0857½ 74-
3	5	2	In reference to request of Comr that
3	6	2	Sends C/D No 6174 for $82 on account of Assay of Ores-
3	7	2	Recd letter announcing the death of General Stewart, you omitted to mention the date of decease-
3	8	2	Sends C/D No 6173 for $192 52 on account of Old material sold-
5	12	2	Approving Appointment of Edward L Royal asst in General Dept-
5	13	4	In reference to Cashiers blotter, you had better have it made in your City-
5	14	3	The number of ~~Standard~~ Silver dollars to be coined during January has been fixed at 985,000 pieces-
5	15	2	A case is desired for the Gold Marksmanship Medals
5	16	3	R E. Preston Sends $48, for Gold Medals-
7	23	6	Enclosing letter from H. P. Lauer, Assayer U S. Mint, relative to Medal for New Orleans Worlds Exposition
7	24	6	The Army Division first prize Marksmanship Medals should be mounted before being sent here-
8	27	7	Recd C/D No 6181 for $1041 53 on account of parting & refining Charges for Dec 1884

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
8	28	7	Sends C/O No 6182 for $44.69 on account of Charges other than parting and refining.
8	29	7	Requisition for funds to meet expenses for Jan has been approved.
8	30	7	Requests Supts Statement of balances as soon as possible.
9	32	7	Enclosing Copy of letter from Secretary of Interior requesting 10 Indian peace Medals.
9	33	8	Purchase of Silver 200,000 ozs at $1.0886.
9	34	8	Receipt Oath of Office of Edward L Royal, Asst in the General department.
10	40	9	Fixing the purchasing rate of Silver.
12	43	10	Notice of request for increase of bullion fund by a transfer of $1,000,000.
13	48	12	In reference to the storage capacity of Vaults, will transfer of one or two Millions afford relief.
13	49	12	Sends an additional table of distances for the Shipment of Silver dollars.
18	50	12	Encloses One dollar for which please return to this Offici One Gold dollar 1884.
15	57	14	Receipt Ordinary, Refinery, and Standard Silver dollar account for Dec 1884.
15	58	14	Sends 1000 Blank forms for Gold bullion deposits.

1885 January

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
15	59	14	Examined and refused your medal fund account for quarter ending Dec 31st 1884
16	62	15	Requested the Secretary of Treas to be deposited $471.096.06 in your name, profits on Coinage of Silver at your Mint for quarter ending Sept 30 1884
16	63	15	Purchase of Silver 270,000 ozs $1.0875 @ 1.0895
16	64	15	Requested Secty of Treas to cause to be transferred Two Million Silver dollars from bullion fund
17	68	16	Sends Correction, Bullion Account for quarter ended Sept 30 1884
17	69	16	Approving the appointment of Edward O Thomas as a laborer
17	70	16	Sends 100 statements of Silver purchases
19	72	17	In reference to the purchase of a certain Diplomatic Medal from S. H. H. Chapman
20	75	19	Sends Nine pointed Copies of a table for Computing the value of any weight of Gold 900 fine not exceeding one million ounces
20	76	19	Requisition has this day been made for Gold Mint receipts, you authorized to have a few hundred Copies struck to tide you over the interval
20	77	19	Two Million dollars will be transferred to Washington, to be shipped in canvas sacks, enclosed in a hemp sack

1885 January -

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
21	80	20	Relative to the collection of Money from depositors to be deposited in Treasury quarterly -
21	81	20	Receive letter of 16th inst enclosing letter of resignation of O.C. Bothphell Coiner -
21	82	20	Received Oath of Office of Edward O Thomas Laborer in the General Dept -
22	86	21	Examined and returned your bullion accounts for quarter ending Sept 30 1884 -
23	90	22	Purchase of Silver 230,000 oz @ $1.0867½ -
23	91	22	Receive Special Assay Coins reserved during the Month of Dec 1884 -
24	92	23	Requests half dozen copies of Form 225 Count and Examination of Funds -
24	94	23	Requisition has been made upon the Printer for blank Weigh Clerks daily Account books of Gold and Silver bullion -
24	95	23	Hereafter in your Register of Deposits you will please recapitulate entries carried forward from page to page -
26	98	24	Sends 1000 Items Silver Bullion deposited Form 44 -
27	100	26	In reference to quarterly Register of Deposits -
27	101	26	Enclosed please find $1 for which send One Silver and one Minor Coin proof Set -

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
28	103	27	Examined and referred your ordinary Refinery and Standard Silver dollar account for Month ending Dec 31st 1884.
28	104	27	Fixing purchasing rate of Silver.
28	105	27	As requested in your letter of 26th I have forwarded to Fourth Nat Bk of Ky a supply of blank invoices of Silver bullion.
29	106	28	Approving removal of Miss Louisa Todd Adjuster in the Coins department.
29	107	28	Approving removal of Miss Catharine Patton Adjuster in Coins department.
29	108	28	Approving Appointment of Miss Josephine Barr Adjuster in Coins Dept.
29	109	28	In reference to reporting monthly Statement of deposits and purchases please state the number of Standard ounces of Trade dollars included therein.
29	110	28	Mr Steel's appointment has not yet been confirmed, I have requested early decision
29	111	28	Requested Supt of Bureau of Weights & Measures to furnish you with a Set of Standard Weights
30	112	29	Purchase of Silver 70,000 ozs @ 1.07703/4
31	114	30	Encloses blank bonds and affadavits of Surety to be executed by Mr Steel recently appointed Coiner.

1885 Jan, Feb.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
31	115	115	Request that Dies for the Calendar year 1885 be prepared and forwarded to Mint of the U.S. at San Francisco Dime, 5 Obverse Dime 5 Reverse.
Feb		Jan	
2	117	31	Sends C/o No 6196 for $160,000 on account of Minor Coinage profits.
2	118	31	Forward as soon as practicable One Gold and one bronze Arthur Indian Peace Medal.
		Feb	
3	123	2	In reference to the Medal to Commemorate the dedication of the Washington Monument.
4	124	3	In reference to Mem No 139 + 141 of Gold bullion received from U.S Assay Office at Boise City and St Louis respectively.
4	125	3	To Coin 900,000 Std Silver dollars during Feb'y.
4	126	3	Received Coins reserved for Special Assay for Month of January.
4	130	4	Received Oath of Office of Josephine Barr, Adjuster in Coiners Dept.
5	131	4	Sends 25 Vouchers for traveling expenses.
5	132	4	Sends list of Assay Commissioners.
5	133	4	To make preparation for the Annual Assay.
5	134	3	Have you the Hub of Die of the Medal of Washington before Boston, this would answer for the Obverse.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
5	135	4	The President has just signed Commission, and bond has been submitted to Secretary for Approval.
5	136	4	Sends 500 Informal Items of Silver purchases.
6	138	5	Purchase of Silver 220,000 ozs $1.0828 & 35.
6	139	5	Transmits Assayers report upon Special Assay Coin for each week in Dec 1884.
6	140	5	On receipt of Commission, bond was found to Misdescribe its date. [Telegram made Official]
6	141	5	Sends 1000 requisition for Supplies 130. & 1000 Items of Silver bullion purchased.
6	142	5	Forwards Commission of W.S. Steel Coiner.
7	143	6	Requested the Secretary of Treasury to cause to be advanced $1000 to meet expenses of Refinery for present Month.
7	144	6	Requisition for funds to meet expenses for the Month of February has been approved.
7	145	6	Requested Secretary to cause to be advanced the Sum of $10,000 from the Appropriation for the Coinage of Silver dollars.
9	147	7	Coiners bond has been approved and filed [Telegram made official]
10	149	9	Forwards 25 Vouchers for traveling expenses.
10	150	7	The Official Bond of W.S. Steel Coiner has been approved.

1885. Feb.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
10	151	9	Sends set of Weights from 10,000 of an ounce to $\frac{5}{100}$ of an ounce.
11	157	10	Sends an additional table of distances
12	154½	11	Relative to Bar of Silver offered for sale in S.F.
12	158	10	The correct rate is One hundred eight-thirty three [Telegram made Official]
13	161	12	Purchase of Silver 200,000 ozs @ $1.0732 d 56
13	162	12	Approving Appointment of Mrs Sarah Gregory as an adjuster.
13	163	12	Telegraph amount of Silver on hand and amount delivered during month, Statements not received
16	166	14	Professor Shaler leaves here at 2 PM, from Dr Larrin to meet him at R R station [Telegraph made Official]
17	168	16	Sends duplicate Medal fund Voucher Signed, also $6.55 for one Silver and one bronze Indian Peace Medal.
17	170	16	Have requested the Bureau of Weights and measures to furnish you with a full set of Standard Weights.
17	171	16	Reduce purchasing rate of Silver to one hundred & six and three quarters cts per oz fine.
17	172	16	Relative to the Suspension of Coinage of One and five cent pieces.
18	175	17	Approving Appointment of Miss Lizzie Banes.

1885, Feb.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
18	176	17	The name of Miss Maggie R Sloan Adjuster in the Coiners department, resigned has been dropped from the Official Register.
18	177	17	Requests statement of Troy ounces of Nickel used during the Calendar years 1883, 1884.
18	178	17	Sends supply of Department Circulars of Jan 1st 1885, estimating the value in United States Coin in foreign Money.
18	179	17	Recd Ordinary Refinery and Standard Silver dollar expense accounts for Month of January.
19	181	18	Calls attention to statement of production of Gold and Silver of domestic production for the Calendar year 1884.
19	182	18	Request for increase of bullion fund $1,000,000.
19	183	18	Shortage in Shipment of Silver
20	184	19	Purchase of Silver 180,000 ozs $1.0700 & 13
20	185	19	In reference to suspension of Minor Coinage after March 1st 1885.
20	186	19	You are authorized to come to Washington to Consult about Minor Coinage.
20	187	19	Sends $1.25 for Silver proof Set 1885.
20	188	19	In reference to non payment of 1 Silver life saving Medal forwarded Dec 29th 1884, and 5 Arthur Indian Peace Medals forwarded Jan 21st. also enclosing letter from 2nd Comp of Treas.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
23	192	20	Sends 1 Superintendents Book of Receipts for Silver Ingots.
25	197	24	Received letter announcing the deaths of Messrs Patton and Mc Lean.
25	198	24	Sends two books, Gold Bullion receipts
25	199	24	The Assayer of this Bureau has sent one lot containing 44.90 ozs Gold bullion, and 153.43 " Silver " resulting from Assay of Coin sent from the Several Mints
25	200	24	Returns bill of the Gordon Machine Co for hauling Ingot Machine to Penna RR Depot You will please have it made out on the enclosed blank form.
27	201	26	Purchase of Silver 270,000 ozs @ $1.07739 d 57,
27	202	26	Approving the Appointment of Edward Wales Jr as Cabinet Employe.
27	203	26	Referred to the proper Accounting Officer, bill of Stationery for year 1885.
27	204	26	In reference to reporting bars received from the different refineries.
27	205	26	Wailed to ascertain the amount of Assay Coin forwarded by each of the Mints for the Annual Assay, in which account was the shortage found
27	207	27	Requests statement of the total amount of Standard ounces of Gold & Silver received from N.Y. Assay Office for Calendar year 1884.

1885 Feby - March -

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
27	211	26	E. O. Leech, requests 20 One dollar Gold pieces for same amount in Currency -
28	212	27	Enclosing Condensed Statement from the Reports from the Mints, of Coins reserved for the Annual Assay -
28	213	27	Approving the increase in the Compensation of L R Snowden, Weigher in the Assay Department -
28	214	27	Approving the increase in the Compensation of Alfred McB. Brinkle, Assistant in the Assay department -
28	215	27	The Amounts of half Eagles on hand at your Mint being quite small, it will be necessary for you to Coin Some -
March 2	216	28	Sends statement of Coins produced to the Commission at the Annual Assay February 1885 -
		Mar	
3	219	2	Approving the appointment of Josephine Howard an adjuster -
3	220	2	Sends draft for $74 being the value of the Coins forwarded by you during the six Months ending Dec 31st 1884, for Special Assay -
3	221	2	You are authorized to furnish Hon John Sherman with bronze Copies of all Medals struck, and such specimens at your hand, to be furnished at Cost -
3	222	2	Sends $1.98 for One Silver and Nickel proof Set 1885 -
3	223	2	Recd per Adams Express package Containing $109.46 Value of bullion resulting from Assay of Coins received at this Office for Special Assay -

1885 March

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
4	226	3	The number of Standard Silver dollars to be coined during the current month has been fixed at 1.250.000 pieces -
4	227	3	Received Bullion account for quarter ended Dec 31st 1884 also statement of Earnings and expenditure and Melter and Refiners Copper Alloy account for same period -
4	228	3	Encloses bill of Prof Thomas Egleston for traveling expenses incurred in attending Annual Assay Commission -
6	232	5	Purchase of Silver 110,000 ozs @ 1.0725 d 46 -
6	233	5	Approving the transfer and appointment of John J Webster as an Annealer in Coiners Dept -
6	234	5	Miss Susie A Chadwick Adjuster in the Coiners Dept having resigned her name has been dropped from the Official Register -
6	235	5	Sends for payment from Contingent expenses, bill of "Inquirer" for Advertising, One case blanks -
6	236	5	Sends an additional table of distances -
7	238	6	Requests statement, as soon as practicable of the bars at your institution, at the commencement and close, manufactured and issued during the Calendar year 1884 -
7	239	6	Receives Oath of Office of Josephine Howard Adjuster in Coiners Department -
7	240	6	Sends One book Assayers Mem Silver purchases

1885 March

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
9	244	6	Forwards two quarter dollars silver coins bearing date of 1877, also enclosing Copy of Geo Eyster Asst Treas U.S. at Phila.
10	246	9	Encloses $1.24 for One silver and Minor Coin proof set.
10	247	9	The Coins reserved at your Mint during the Month of February and forwarded for special Assay has been received.
12	247½	11	In reference to Sending Nickel Coin to State Nat Bk at N.O.
13	254	12	In relation to Weigh Clerks Books, of Gold and Silver Bullion, referred to Superintendent of Stationery Department.
13	255	12	Requested Secty to cause to be advanced $10.000 from the Appropriation for the Coinage of Standard Silver Dollars, to meet probable expenses of current Month.
13	256	12	Requisition for funds for expenses for March 1885 has been approved.
13	257	12	In reference to Monthly report of Deposits and purchases.
14	260	12	Purchase of Silver 265.000 ozs $1.0725 @ 37.
14	261	13	Requests number of proof Trade Dollars struck at your Mint from 1878 to 1883.
14	262	13	Silver purchases [Telegram Made Official]
16	266	14	Approving the appointment of Miss Annie M Scott as an Adjuster.

1885 March

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
17	267	16	Forwarded bill of Savage + Steele for 50 lbs of fused borax, to Assayer in charge of Denver Mint.
18	268	17	Notice of request for increase of Bullion fund by a transfer of $1,000,000
18	269	17	In reference to the resumption of the Coinage of Minor Coins.
18	270	17	Received One Weigh Clerks Account Book.
19	272	18	Owing to the close of the Carson Mint on acct of death of the Supt it is necessary that your Mint shall coin 1,200,000 dollars.
20	276	19	Purchase of Silver 245,000 ozs $1.0750 d 63.
20	277	19	Sends $2.00 for 3 half and 2 quarter dollars proof.
20	278	19	In reference to statement of bars redeposited during the Calender year 1884.
20	279	19	Recvd a letter of 17th in relation to the two light quarters purported to be coined at Carson and San Francisco Mints.
21	282	20	Enclosing Copy of letter from Secretary Manning relative to Coinage of Minor Coin.
21	281	20	Sends 350 blank forms partial payment $50.
21	283	20	You are authorized to strike the medals for Senator Sherman at actual cost of manufacture.

1885. March

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
21	284	20	Sends 100 Copies of Form 125 for reporting Monthly the Coins reserved at your Mint.
24	289	23	Mailed this day to your address Spiral spring, please purchase a dozen of same kind and send with bill to this Office.
24	290	23	Transmits Assayers report on Special Assay Coin for Month of January 1885.
25	291	24	Referring to your letter of yesterday regarding package of blank forms, missent. please return to this Office.
25	292	24	The superintendent of Stationery division promises to have Weigh Clerks Book of Gold Bullion, ready as soon as possible.
25	293	24	In reference to the contract of C. F. Croselmire for Sweeps.
26	294	25	Approving Appointment of James Rose as a Laborer
26	295	25	Received Oath of Office of Annie M Scott Adjuster in Coiners department.
26	296	25	Sends draft for $25.02 for 20 one dollar gold pieces and 3 Silver and Minor coin proof sets.
27	297	26	Purchase of Silver 280,000 ozs $1.0730 @ 43.
27	298	26	Referring to communication of the 18th ult enclosing C/D No 6209 for $12.99 on account of overs.
28	300	27	You are authorized to come to Washington to consult in reference to detecting and preventing the Counterfeiting of Subsidiary Coin.

1885 March - April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
28	301	27	Mails this day Weigh Clerks daily accounts of Gold Bullion -
28	302	27	For $10 - enclosed please send to R.E. Preston ten One dollar Gold pieces -
30	303	28	"Have Dies and blank for Exposition Medal been forwarded to New Orleans - [Telegram made Official]
31	309	30	Relative to 2 dozen pens Copying books, these books are classed as Stationery and are obtained by requisition on that department -
31	306	30	Returns sample of Foreman Daily Reports of Melts, you are authorized to have them manufactured in your City -
31	307	30	Sends 25 Copies Annual Report 1885 -
E & F.H. April.			
4	310	3	The coins received at your Mint during the Month of March and forwarded to this Office for special assay has been received. Please make proper correction on your book.
4	311	2	Please inform me at what price the Medals mentioned in the letter of Senator Plumb a copy of which is enclosed can be furnished here.
4	312	3	Relative to charges levied by New York Assay Office on Schreuder deposits.
4	313	2	You are hereby requested to report to me in writing as soon as practicable to what extent, in your opinion the force employed under you can be reduced without detriment to the Public Service

1885 April.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
4	314	2	The number of standard Silver dollars to be coined at your Mint during April is hereby fixed at 1.400.000
4	315	2	Purchase of Silver 250.000 ozs. $1.0745 a 48
4	317	2	I have received your Ordinary, Refinery and Std Silver Dollar expense accts. with Abstracts and Vouchers for Month ending Febry 28th 1885.
4	318	2	I have forwarded to Treasurer a copy of your letter of the 30th ult. and called his attention thereto.
4	316	3	Received Th No 6241 for $1800 being on account of profit on Medals and proof Coins.
6	319	4	I have examined and referred your Ordinary Refinery and Std. Silver Dollar account for the Month of February.
6	320	4	Have authorized Supt. at New Orleans to have the blanks for the Exposition Medal stamped and sold Forwards accounts for same to this Office (Telegram made Official)
6	321	4	Please forward form #125 for the Months of January & February 1885.
6	322	3	Enclosing Mem. of Bullion Shipment No 11.
7	325	6	Forwards letter improperly addressed to Supt U.S. Mint Washington D.C. Please acknowledge.
9	330	8	Returns for correction form #125. Recvd of Coins reserved for annual Assay

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
9	331	8	I have requested the Secty of the Treasury to cause to be advanced you the sum of $30.000 for the support of your Mint during the current Month.
9	332	8	The price of silver having declined cancel the Contract of the Fourth Natl. Bank of New York on their sale of 26 ults. (Telegram made official)
9	333	8	Cloth lined Envelopes are kept in stock in the stationary division of the Dept. and will be furnished on the regular stationery requisition.
9	334	8	Returns statements of silver delivered on purchases Made at the Department 3/9 of the Fourth Natl Bank and March 26 of Handy & Cronise and Zimmerman & Jorshay request seperate statement.
10	337	9	In reference to parties at a distance who wants to dispose of Trade Dollars but desires returns by draft instead of Standard dollars by Express.
10	338	9	Notification of the purchase of Silver 250.000 oz $1.0720 a 33
10	339	9	Notice of request for increase of Bullion fund By a transfer of $1.000.000
11	340	10	Notification of the purchase of silver 30.000 ozs. $1.07
11	341	10	In reference to the purchase of 30.000 ozs silver from Fourth Natl Bank N.Y.
11	342	10	Mails 150 Refinery statements #95 to be used hereafter in reporting the operation of Refinery

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
11	343	10	Received Medal fund account with abstracts and vouchers for quarter ending March 31st 1885.
15	347	14	You are authorized to come to Washington on official business (Telegram made Official)
15	348	14	Warrant has been drawn for current expenses for the current Month and draft will probably reach you tomorrow.
16	349	15	Received your Ordinary Refinery and standard silver dollar Expense account for the Month of March 1885.
17	353	16	Notification of the purchase of Silver 240.000 ozs. @ 1.0800
17	354	16	Examined and refered to the proper accounting Officer, your Ordinary Refinery and standard silver dollar expense account for January 1885.
17	355	16	Examined and refered to the proper accounting Officer your Ordinary Refinery and standard Silver dollar account for Month of March 1885.
18	356	17	Write further Notice the purchasing rate of silver at your Mint in lots of less than 10.000 ozs. will be @ 1.07½ per oz fine.
20	359	20	Examined & refered Medal fund account for quarter ending March 31 1885
21	361	20	Sends 400 statements of silver purchased, transfer & coined

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
21	362	20	Received C/D No 6240 for $110 on account of Assay of Ores for quarter ending March 31st 1885
21	363	20	Received C/D No 6209 for $12.27 on account of profits in minor coins redemption fund.
21	364	20	Recd. C/D No 6246 for $149.11 on account of miscellaneous charges for quarter ending March 31st 1885
21	365	21	Recd. C/D No 6253 for $341 on account of Medals & proof Coins for quarter ending March 31, 1885.
21	366	20	Recd. C/D 6245 for $2928.22 on account of parting & refining charge for quarter ending March 31 1885.
21	367	20	Recd. C/D No 6239 for $409.51 on account of sale of old Material.
22	369	21	Name of Israel Whittaker dropped from Official Register of Mint Service.
23	370	22	Receives Medal of Director of Mint Thanks.
23	371	22	Sends 75 Copies of Department Circular No 28 1885 suspension of Coinage one & five cent pieces.
24	373	23.	Sends 1 Book of deliveries of Coin reserved for Annual Assay.
24	374	23	Transmits Assayers report on special Assay Coins for Month of February 1885.
24	375	23	Notification of the purchase of Silver 220 000 ozs $1.0870 a oz.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
25	379	24	Relation to value of half dollars of 1826.
25	380	24	Mint further notice the purchasing rate of silver in lots of less than 10.000 ozs. will be #1.05 4/10 per oz fine.
25	381	24	Name of D. M. Evans asst weigh Clerk in the General Dept. has been dropped from Official Register of the Mint.
25	382	24	Name of Frederick Coppes. Watchman in General Dept. has been dropped from Official Register of Mint
27	383	25	Requesting reasons for not forwarding assay coins Answer inclosed
28	384	27	Requests for 9 Gold & 1 Silver Life S.S. Medals be struck & forwarded.
30	387	29	Will forward Report on the Production of the Precious Metals when printed
31	389	29	In relation to suggestion from Supt. of Carson City Mint.
May.			
1	390	30	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
1	392	30	Silver in Gold deposits will be paid for at rate of 98 Cents per standard ounce.
2	394	1	Purchasing rate of silver will be 109½
2	395	1	Assayers report of special assay March 1885 deliveries.
2	396	1	Coins forwarded for special assay.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
2	397	1	Excess of Silver delivered by Seligman & Co.
2	399	1	R. E. Preston inquires number of Trade Dollars purchased as bullion since Jany 1st 85.
3	401	1	Inclosing copy from Phoenix Mfg. Co. Taunton Mass. relative to crucibles.
4	402	2	Number of Standard Dollars to be Coined during May.
4	403	2.	Sends by Ex. a piece of Gold belonging to Dr A. B. Van Syckel.
5	407	April 30	Requests value of shipment No 9 from Boise City of the 29th.
6	409	5	Approving transfer of W. H. Evans from Annealer to Corners Dept.
6	410	5	Relative to Gold Bullion belonging to Dr A. B. Van Syckel.
7	411	6	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
7	412	6	Notice of Requests for increase of Bullion Fund.
7	413	6	Telegraph balance of Silver on hand May 5 Days of purchasing changed from Thursday to Wednesday.
7	414	6	Encloses five ($5) for five one (1) Dollar gold pieces
8	416	7	Acknowledges receipt of nine (9) Life saving Medals.
8	417	7	Day for purchasing Silver changed from Thursday to Wednesday.
9	419	8	Mails 1 Silver Melting Book # 18.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
9	420	8	Approving the Appointment of H A Chester as a Weigh Clerk.
11	421	10	Rate to be paid for Mutilated silver from date to be 98¢
12	422	11	About a piece of Gold belonging to Dr A B. Van Nyckel.
12	423	11	Requests Secty of Treas. to advance $500 for Expenses.
12	424	11	Requisition for funds for expenses for May approx
12	425	11	Giving names that were dropped.
13	428	12	Telegram notifying Seligman &co that you can not receive it on Contract of 6th inst.
14	430	13	Authorizing advertisement of supplies for 1886.
14	431	13	Acknowledging receipt of Ordinary & Refining account.
14	432	13	Acknowledging receipt of Oath of Office of H.A. Chester as Asst Weigh Clerk.
16	435	15	Telegraph value of shipment No 10 from Boise City.
18	438	16	Send gague & tools for Carson Mint to Washington D.C.
18	439	16	Forward bullion a/c for quarter ending March 31st
18	440	16	Refered Ordinary & Refinery a/c for April.
19	442	18	Reduce purchasing rate of Silver to 107½ per ounce fine.
20	443	19	Statement of Silver purchased in lots of less than 2.000 oz at Mint from 1 to 15 of May.
20	444	19	Reducing purchasing rate of Silver to 107-

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
21	445	20	Notification of the Purchase of Silver
21	446	20	In relation to Department Circular # 62 on purchasing Mutilated silver coin.
21	447	20	Encloses additional table of distances
21	448	20	Telegram. Colgate is entitled to 98¢ under Circular. Will reduce rate today.
22	450	21	Telegram You can delay payment of Trade Dollars deposit until your letter is considered.
22	451	21	Requested the Secty of Treas. to advance $5.000 for wages of workmen for fiscal year 1885.
22	452	21	Returns bills of C. Morton Stewart assignee of Pope, Coler & Co. of Baltimore for 20.000 lbs Copper.
22	453	21	Requests certified Copy of earnings & expenditures for fiscal year ended June 30th 1880.
26	457	25	Weekly coinage report to be discontinued
26	458	25	Requests Treas to deposit $71.140.32 being net profit on coinage of silver
26	459	25	Transmits Copy of Circular fixing rate to be paid for mutilated silver coin
26	460	25	The name of John S Haines dropped from rolls.
28	462	22	Sends book for use of Engraver in recording Coinage dies Mfg.
28	463	27	Notification of the purchase of Silver 50.000 oz.

May

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
29	464	26	Complaint about Conductor selling medals.
29	465	28	The Name of E. L. Giller been dropped.
29	466	28	Approving the appointment of Edward Sterr as a Laborer.
29	467	28	Approving the Appointment of Fanny Gildea as an Adjuster.
29	468	28	Approving the Transfer of James Huntsworth Laborer in Gen. Dpt. to Roller in Coinage Dpt.

E.M.D.

1885 June-

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
1	470	May 29	The Price of Silver having declined Seligman & Co surplus can not be received.
3	477	2	Error in entering number of Eagles delivered by Coiner.
23	478	22	Telegram made official Your acceptance of offer of Balbach & Son for Supt. overps. approved.
3	479	2	Errors appear in gold & silver dollars in charge of Cashier.
3	480	2	Recd. Oath of Office of Francis E. Gildea-
3	481	2	Recd oath of Office of Edward Stert.
4	482	3	Purchase of silver.
4	483	3	Requisition for funds No 1. A.
4	484	3	Recd one (1) Gold and one (1) Silver Life saving Medal-
4	485	3	Encloses #1 2d for one (1) Silver and one (1) minor proof set.
4	486		Order two (2) Gold and one (1) Silver Life saving Medal-
5	489	4	Acknowledges receipt of Bullion a/c with statement of Earnings & Expenditures.
5	490	4	Requisition for funds to meet Expenses for June-

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
5	491	4	Requests Secty of the Treas to cause to be advanced to you $800.00
6	493	5	Sends Copy of letter in regard to proposed change of classification & rates for refining Silver.
6	494	5	Appropriation for 1886.
6	495	4	Encloses Copy from New York Assay Office
6	496	5	Table of distances
12	506	11	Recd. Ordinary, Refinery, Standard Silver Dollar Expense account for Month of May.
13	515	12	The price for Silver contained in Gold deposits will be 96¢ per ounce standard.
13	512	12	Has refered the Ordinary, Refinery & Standard Silver Dollar a/c to the proper Officers for examination.
13	513	11	Acknowledges receipt of Life Saving Medals-
15	516	13	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
15	520	12	Sends $20 for gold pieces-
17	521	16	The rate of computing value of Silver deposited in bars will continue the same at $1 per standard oz.
17	522	16	Transfer of George Beatty from laborer in General Dpt to Engravers Dpt.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
17	525	16	Has requested the Secty of the Treas to cause to be deposited in Treasury $502.079 62/100 being net profit on coinage of S.S.D.
18	526	17	Notification of the purchase of Silver 390.000 oz
18	527	17	Sends check for $1413 25/100 for silver & gold Life saving Medals.
18	528	16	Transmitting Memo No 17 Gold Bullion.
19	529	18	Receive sixty thousand oz from Colgate & Co @ $1.07 1/4 per oz fine.
19	530	18	(Telegram Made Official) Accept Offer of Moolstein & Bein
19	531	18	Receives letter enclosing Bids for purchase & authorizes acceptance of Moolstein & Bein.
19	533	18	Approving the appointment of Margaret Sinnis as an adjuster.
19	534	18	Approving the removal of Susan De Hass- an adjuster in the Coining department.
20	535	19	Requests requisition for register of Deposit-be made special.
20	536	19	Notice of Request for increase of Bullion Fund. by a Transfer of $500.000
22	538	20	Relative to shipment of Foreign Coin from New York
22	540	20	Has examined & refers your Bullion a/c for quarter ending Dec. 31 1884.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
23	541	22	Encloses draft for $100 & requests order to be filled to Exchange Nat. Bank of Kansas.
23.	543	22	Enclosing bids for 16 Bbls Sweeps & Exepts E. Balbach & Sons bid
24	545	23	Acknowledges receipt of Oath of Office Margaret Sergioon Adjuster in Comns Dept.
24	546	23	(Telegram) Mr Preston will be at Mint Thursday.
25	549	24	Approving the removal of John A Grier Asst Engineer in General Dept.
25	550	24	Approving the removal of James Murphy Laborer in the General Dept.
25	551	24	Approving the appointing of Edward K. Clift as a Machinist.
25	552	24	Approving the removal of James Rose Laborer in the General Dept.
25	553	24	Notification of the purchase of Silver
26	554	25	Returns for correction accounts of Earnings & Expenditures
26	556	24	Received communication about raised letters on perjohny of Coin.
26	557	25	Notification of the purchase of Silver
26	558	25	The Name of John Keenan - Helper in the Melters & Refiners has been dropped

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
27	560	26	(Telegram Made Official) There is no objection ~~Making~~ furnishing Mexican Government Copy of letter concerning raised letters on coin.
	559		Have struck 1 Gold & 1 Silver Life Saving Medal - & forward to this office.
29	562	27	Acknowledges the Oath of Office of E.K. Clift Machinist in the General Dept
29	563	27	Notification of the Purchase of Silver
30	564	29	Encloses copy of letter of Fourth Natl Bank of N.Y. relative to size of silver bars.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
3	569	2	Request for increase of Bullion fund by a transfer of $500.000-
3	571	2	Notification of the purchase of silver.
6	573	3	Sends copy of letter from L L White of Baltimore about loss in gold deposit.
6	575	3	Coin reserved for special assay at your Mint has been reced.
7	577	6	Requisition for expenses approved.
7	578	6	Requests you to make requisition for heavy Envelopes-
7	580	6	Telegram made official Will send Register as soon as reced. from Printer.
7	581	6	Giving number of Standard Dollars to be coined this Month.
7	583	6	I have requested the Secty of the Treas. to cause to be advanced the sum of $800.
7	584	7	Unexpended balances of appropriation in your hands as Supt. for fiscal year ended June 30 - 85 has been reced.
8	585	7	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
8	586	7	Reced Box with Army Marksmanship Medals-
8	587	7	Approving the removal of Geo B. Bunn an Annealer in the Assay Dept.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
9	589	8	Recd Medal Fund a/c for quarter ending June 30. 85.
9	590	8	Returns requisition for special assay envelopes for your signature.
9	591	8	Approving the removal of Laurence J Carey Laborer in the General Dpt.
9	592	8	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
10	594	9	Ordering Marksmanship Medals.
10	597	8	Relative to Bank of Deposit.
10	599	9	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
12	600	11	Both Gold & Silver Army marksmanship Medals to have cases.
13	601	11	Approving the putting the Overland Medal on sale @ $.
13	602	11	Relative to the sale of Spelter recommended by the Superintendent.
13	603	11	Approving the appointing of Mrs. Aimee S Barfield an Adjuster.
13	604	11	Miss Eliza J. Sandy resigned
13	605	11	Register of Gold & Silver Deposits & purchases has been recd. & examined
14	609	13	Approving the removal of Michael Maher in the M & R Dept.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
14	610	13	Telegram made Official Receive Silver from Boston & Colo Smelting Co on a/c of sale of 200.000 oz.
14	615	13	Giving authority to advertise 6578 lbs Spelter for Sale.
15	616	16	In reference to scales manufactured Henry Formner.
15	617	14	You are to continue to receive silver from Boston & Colo. Co. without regard to the ten day limit.
16	622	15	Notification of the purchase of silver.
16	624	14	100 Abstracts Sheets no 3 a.
16	625	15	Assayers Report for special assay for April.
16	626	15	Telegraphic rates fixed by Postmaster General must be observed.
17	628	16	In silver deposits containing Gold no allowance is to be made for Gold when the value does not equal the expense.
17	630	16	100 Requisitions for Funds - No 56 a.
17	631	16	Notice of request for increase of Bullion fund by a transfer of $1.000.000.
17	632	16	Relative to Bank of Deposit
17	633	16	Approved & referred to the Secty of the Treas the Bill of George Koehler.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
17	635	16	Approved & referred to the Secty of the Treas the bill of $38.70 for expenses incurred by M. L. Muhleman.
18	636	17	The name of Lucy Harper an Adjuster resigned.
18	637	17	Approving the removal of Geo. W. Sell Laborer in the General Dept.
18	638	17	Approving the removal of Edward S. Sterr Laborer in the General Dept.
18	639	17	$1.000.000 has been placed to your credit in N.Y.
18	640	17	Approving the appointment of Mrs Eliza Doran as an Adjuster.
20	643	18	Table of distances enclosed -
20	645	18	Recd ordinary - Refinery & S.S.D. a/c. for Month ending 30th June - 1885.
20	646	18	You are authorized to receive Silver from Walsh & Son anytime during the coming week.
20	647	18	Sends two Copies of Instructions & Regulations.
20	648	18	Recd statement of Silver purchased from 1st to 15th inst.
21	650	20	Approving the removal of William Chapman Melter in the M & R Dept.
21	651	20	Encloses for verification Coiners list of Medals Manufactured during fiscal year 1885

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
21	652	20	Telegram made Official. You are authorized to employ additional Adjusters.
22	653	21	You are authorized to accept the Bid of Messrs Babbach & Son for 66 Bbls sweeps.
22	654	21	Sends bound Copy of Burial Register of 1883.
22	656	21	Miss Sallie E Davis an Adjuster resigned.
22	657	21	Recd the oath of Office of Aimie S Warfield an Adjuster in the Coiners Dept.
22	658	21	Recd. Oath of Office of Eliza Doran an Adjuster in the Coiners Dept.
23	659	22	You will forward of Monday & Thursday of each week, the amount of Silver Bullion delivered during the Month on Purchase of Dollar coinage.
24	663	23	Telegram made Official Balance of Silver on hand should be stated also.
24	663½	23	Approving the appointing of Temporary Adjusters
24	663¾	24	Approving the appointing of Temporary Adjusters
25	664	24	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
25	665	24	Decides you have no authority to stop pay of Clerk who's pay is fixed by Congress but has referred it to Solicitor of the Treas.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
25	666	24	Transmits Copy of Telegram & letter of yesterday
25	667	24	Transmits Assayers report on special assay for May 1885.
25	668	24	Telegram made Official Approving the Draping of the Mint for Grant.
28	668½	27	Approving the appointments of Temporary Adjusters
27	674	25	Notification of the purchase of Silver
28	675	27	Telegram made Official 100.000 oz accepted of Handy & Cronise on the 25. 107½ ¢ per. oz. fine & which you were advised by mail same day.
28	676	27	Telegram made Official You are authorized to receive 10.000 oz in South American Coin from Fourth Natl Bank of New York.
28	677	27	Relative to express charges on Bullion from St Louis Assay office.
28	678	27	Approving the Appointment of Sarah J Tomlinson as an Adjuster.
28	679	27	Aimie S. Warfield an adjuster resigned.
29	680	28	Blank memorandum of Gold Bullion # 42 e.
29	680½	28	Approving the appointing of Temporary Adjusters.
29	681	28	Wishes to know if the 88. 264.11. oz for May & the 479.46 oz for June were fine or unparted Bars

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
29	682	29	Conways Borax Soap not fit for use of Mint.
29	683	28	Notification of the Purchase of Silver
30	680¼	28	Approving the appointments of Temporary Adjusters.
30	684½	29	Sends one set of U.S. Standard Coin weights.
30	685	29	Relative to name of Lucy Brown appearing twice on appointment list.
30	686	29	In making up the daily Bullion fund the denomination of Gold Coin may be stated, as they actually appear in the statement
30	687	29	Please forward to this Office form No 232 of balance of Bullion & Coin belonging to & the condition of Bullion, a/c.
30	689	29	Reprint of Medal Arcular # 147 Approved.
30	690	29	Notification of the Purchase of Silver
30	691	29	You are authorized to exchange the Aqua Fortis for acids but not to sell.
30	692	29	Oath of Office of Sarah J Tomlinson as Adjuster rec'd.
30	697	30	The amount of Silver purchased from Fourth Natl Bank was 20.000 @ 107 3/10d per oz and not 50.000 oz.
31	697½	30	Approving the appointing of Mary Mc Donough & Emily R Arnold as Adjusters

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
31	696	30	Enclosing opinion of S. M. Cull Solicitor of the Treas. relative to stopping pay while absent.
31	699	31	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
augst 1	699½	31	Approving the Appointing of Miss Mary Donahoe an Adjuster
1	700	31	Anna B Zeller resigned her name will be dropped from the rolls.
July 25	702	24	You are authorized to increase the number of Adjusters.
22	703	21	Mint vaults in the P.O. building Suggests removal of Supts office to P.O. & reserve the Mint exclusively for manufacturing.
6	703½	3	Encloses schedual of Proposals for fiscal year for your approval.
16	703¾	15	Please forward information for Biennial Register

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
3	703	1	Miss Matilda Beane an Adjuster in the Coiners department having resigned her name will be dropped from the Official register of the Mint service.
3	704	1	Miss Maggie Oliver Adjuster in the Coiners Dept. having resigned her name will be dropped from the Official register.
3	705	1	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
3	708	1	1000 Memo of Gold Bullion Deposits.
3	709	1	Relative to absence & deducting pay for same.
4	710	3	The amount of the stolen Bars should be treated as a balance still in his hands.
4	713	3	Preston A.D.M. Telegram Made Official. You are Authorized to accept proposal of Wm. Kleyser to furnish 20.000 lbs of cofsper @ 10½ ¢ per lb. delivered free.
4	728	3	Blank forms mailed this day.
4	714	3	Miss Annie Noble an Adjuster resigned her name will be dropped from the Official register.
5	715	4	You will cause to be prepared & forwarded to the Mint at New Orleans the following Dies 2 Obverse ½ Eagles 2 Reverse ½ Eagles.
5	716	4	Please forward statement showing amount of Silver Purchased and delivered at your Mint & Cost of same for month of July.
5	717	4	Approving the appointment of Catherine Donnelly

1885. August.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
5	718	4	The number of pieces to be coined for August will be 1.800.000.
5	718½	4	Relative to Am Mess Machine Co's bill
5	719	4	Approving the appointment of Miss Kate Blaess as an Adjuster
5	720	4	Recd 9 Standard Silver Dollars for special Assay reserved during month of July.
5	721	4	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
5	722	4	Telegram Made Official. Have been expecting report on adaptation of Treasury Vaults. Who is in possession, Another will be in Philadelphia on Thursday.
6	722½	5	Authorising contract for coal given to Newton & Co.
6	725	5	The Assayers Report on Coins taken from the first delivery and one subsequent one in each week during Month of June 1885.
6	726	5	Notice of request for increase of Bullion fund by a transfer of $1.000.000.
6	727	5	Relative to semi-monthly Payment of Wages.
6	729	5	Returns forms No 193 & 232 for correction. A suspense account to be opened for the M & R. silver wastage for year ended June 30 - 85
7	729½	6	Appg awards for supplies for current fiscal year.
7	730	6	3.000 Assayers reports on Silver Bullion five pizes.
7	738	6	Sends Box containing 43.96 oz of Gold Bullion 132.87 oz of Silver, resulting from the assay of Coins sent to this Bureau for special tests.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
10	739	9	Your letter returning forms No 193 & 232 has been Recd.
10	740	7	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
10	741	7	Notifications of the purchase of Silver
10	744	10	Requisition for Funds to meet expenses for Month of August is approved for the sum of $24.000
11	745	10	Approving the appointment of Miss Elizabeth Perkenpine as a Temporary Adjuster.
11	745 1/2	10	Awards contract for wood to T. S. Lowry & Son.
11	746	10	Approving the appointment of Miss Adeline D Gregg as a Temporary Adjuster.
11	747	10	The name of Miss Kate B. Thompson an Adjuster in the Coiners Dept. resigned has been dropped from the official Register of the Mint service.
12	752	11	Please forward your statement of Earnings and Expenditures for quarter ended June 30 - 85 also annual statement for 1885.
12	753	11	Relative to paying on the 15th of the Month.
12	754	11	C.D. Nos 6303 for $70 on a/c of Assay of ores & Bullion.
12	755	11	Recd statement showing the receipts from sales of old material during quarter ended June 30th 85.
12	756	11	C.D. Nos. 6304 for $69.85 on a/c of sales old material
12	757	11	C.D. No. 6300 for $159.35 on a/c. of Melting Alloy & Bar Charges.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
12	758	11	C.D. Nos 6301 for 2898.23 being on a/c of Parting Refining & Toughening charges-
12	759	11	C.D. No. 6337 for 233.51 on a/c of Condemned Smelter sold.
12	760	11	C.D. No. 6302 for 3290 on a/c sale old material
12	761	11	Notification of the purchase of Silver
12	762	11	Approved & referred to First Audt of Treas for examination the Bill of W G Sommers for $8-
12	763	11	Forwards for payment certain pay rolls for extra work & incidental Bills for June 1885 = 978.55
12	765	13	The Name of William Hewitt millwright in the General Dept. resigned has been dropped from the rolls.
13	766	12	Letter directed to you, was sent to San Francisco did you get it.
13	767	12	Letter enclosing C.D. No 6323 recd. Please furnish me with an explanation from what source the sum accrued-
13	768	12	Sends additional table of distances.
14	769	13	C.D. No. 6346 for $540 being for profit on Proof Coins & medals-
14	770	13	Please forward Bullion a/c for quarter ended June 30- 1885-

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
14	771	13	Transmits for payment the account of the Record for advertising Spelter.
14	772	13	Requests a list of Drawings of all Machinery with makers name's will be forwarded to this office
14	773	13	Requests the name of Mill or Mine to be put into Register from which Silver bullion is reced.
14	774	13	Relative to Vaults for storing silver coin.
15	778¼	14	Forwards blanks to schedule bills Orr & Hess Machine Co.
15	779	14	Expect Architect & myself on Tuesday morning.
15	780	14	(Telegram made official) Send 2 pair Eagle Dies in place of Half Eagle Dies ordered on 4 inst.
15	780½	14	Requests Statement of surplus bought during the last fiscal year in excess of contracts. also machinery exclusive of Orr & Hess Co. Abstract of the work of the Mechanical Dept in Labor & Materials exclusive of Orr & Hess Co.
15	781	14	Please state the kind of Coins the $5.30 was reced. from.
15	A.D.M. 782	14	Encloses Draft No. 22576 for the sum of $141 and please acknowledge receipt.
15	783	14	Notification of the purchase of silver
17	783½	15	App'g Contract of Acids with Lennig & Co.
17	789	15	Have written to Boston & Colo. Smelting Co to change the size of their Bars -
~~17~~	~~789½~~		
17	790	15	The Assayer has ~~forwarded~~ in currency $971.50 being the coinage value of the Gold & Silver Bullion forwarded by him to your Mint on the 7 inst.
17	790½	15	Approving awards for Supplies for the current fiscal year 1885-'86
17	792	16	Please strike 1 silver Life saving medal & forward it to this office

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
18	793a.	17	Approving the appointment of Eugene Harrington as a Furnace Builder.
18	793 B.	17	Approving the appointment of George Borand as a Melter.
18	793 b	17	Approving the appointment of Frank Hays Computation Clerk.
18	793d.	17	Approving appointments.
18	793 E	17	Approving appointments.
19	794	18	Sends 4 registers of Deposits.
19	794 1/5	18	Approving the appointment of William H. P. Barnes as a Conductor.
19	794 2/5	18	Approving the appointment of William Gilligan as a Conductor.
19	794 3/5	18	Approving the appointment of Edward DeSilver as an Annealer.
19	794 4/5	18	Appointments approved.
19	795	18	Approving the removal of Mrs Ellen G. Wharton. Temporary Adjuster.
19	797	18	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
20	799	19	Statement of Silver purchased from 1 to 15 of August. recd.
20	800	19	You are Authorized to receive & pay for the 4 volumes of Encyclopedia

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
21	801	20	Blank forms mailed.
21	802	20	Recd Oaths of Office of recently appointed employees.
21	803	20	Recd your Ordinary Refinery Expense a/c for Month of July.
21	804	20	The purchasing rate of silver will be 105 8/10 for lotts less than 10.000 oz.
21	805	20	Recd Oaths of Temporary Adjusters
22	748 1/4	21	You are authorized to purchase a Gold Deposit Melting Book. Must allow six weeks before getting one from here.
22	748	21	Approving the appointment of John McCormick as an annealer.
22	806	21	Oaths of Office recd.
22	807	21	Relative to Browns pay as messenger
24	808	24	(Telegram made Official) Reduce purchasing rate of silver to 105½ ¢ per oz fine.
24	809	22	Notification of the purchase of silver.
24	810	22	Notice of request for increase of Bullion fund by a transfer of $ 1.000.000
24	811	22	Oath of E.R. Arnold, Adjuster in Coiners Dept. recd.
24	812	22	Oath of E. DeSilver recd.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
24	813	11	Requisition for funds for August has been approved for $50.000
24	814	22	Please forward Treasurers list of Prices of Assay Blanks.
25	815	24	Until further notice silver contained in Gold Deposits will be paid for at the rate of 94¢ per Standard oz.
26	819½	26	Mr Brock Chief of Secret Service of Treas. will cooperate with Supt Mellen & Refiner & Instructed to Investigate theft of Silver Bars from Mint at Phila.
26	820	25	Recd Oath of Office of John McCormick
26	821	25	Sends 6 Books. Records of silver melting.
28	825	27	Statement of Earnings & Expenditures for fiscal year 1885 & Quarterly statement for period ended June 30th 1885. Recd
	825½	27	Please make formal statement of the missing Arml.
29	828	28	Acknowledges receipt of your Bullion a/c.
29	829	28	Notification of the purchase of silver.
31	83¼	29	Appointment of Thomas James approved.
31	831	29	Miss Francis Lord resigned her name will be dropped from register.
31	832	29	Miss Aleda Townsend resigned her name will be dropped from the register.
31	833	29	Notice of Death of Miss Maggie Wood.
31	834	29	Recd. by Express one Life saving Medal.
31	835	29	Notification of the purchase of Silver

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Sept 1	837	31	Your Ordinary Expence a/c recd.
1	838	31	Approving the appointment of Eugene H Flinn.
31	838¼	31	Approving the appointment of J. F. Brinkerhoff as a Conductor.
6	838¾	5	Authorizing you to give contract for Coal for M & D to Newton & Co.
7	838B	6	Approving awards for supplies for the current fiscal year 1885 & 86.
11	838C	10	Awards the Contract for Wood to J. S. Lorry & Son.
17	838D	15	Approving the contracts for acids with Lenning & Co.
22	910	20	You are requested to open seperate a/c with each Dpt. of your Mint beginning with the present fiscal year.
13	936	13	Encloses blank estimates of Appropriation for making up estimates for the support of your Mint for fiscal year 1887.
22	910	20	You are Auth

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September.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
2	839	1	Sends check for $5 for one $5 Gold piece
2	840	1	Your Register of Gold & Silver Deposits for quarter ended June 30. 85. has been rec'd.
2	841	1	Referring to yours of the 27 ultimo in reference to Shipment No 13 from Boise City Assay Office of Gold Bullion value which is $1,123.68 Deposit the amount in Treas of U.S. in the name of S. Braden U.S. Assayer at Boise City as value of receipt bar.
	841½	1	Relative to missing Carbine
2	842	1	Telegram made Official Reduce purchasing rate of Silver to one hundred five and one quarter ¢ per oz.
2	843	1	Rec'd 12 S.S.D. reserved for special Assay during Months of August at your Mint.
2	844	1	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
2	845	1	Mrs Lizzie L. Banes an Adjuster resigned her name will be dropped from the Official register.
2	846	1	Transmits Assayer report upon Special Assay of Coins reserved at your Mint during July.
3	850	2	Approving the appointment of John Z. Jones as a Counter.
3	851	2	Approving the appointment of William Conn as an Assistant.
3	852	2	Approving the Appointment of John E. Leighman

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
3	853	2	Approving the appointment of James McBride as a Watchman.
3	854	2	Approving the appointment of William Haggerty as an Annealer.
3	855	2	Approving the appointment of Wm Trullinger as a Laborer.
3	856	2	Approving the appointment of George Gordon as a Laborer.
3	857	2	Acknowledges receipt of the Oath of Office of Thomas James Cutter
3	858	2	You will please cause to be prepared & forwarded to San Francisco Mint 5 Obverse Double Eagle Dies & inform this Bureau when shipped.
3	859	2	Returns for endorsement by A Loudon Snowden the Gold Mint receipts belonging to this bullion acct for quarter ended June 30. 85.
3	860	2	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
3	861	2	Have requested the Secty of the Treas to cause to be advanced you the sum of $1.000
3	862	2	Telegram Made Official Reduce purchasing rate of Silver to one hundred four & eight tenths cents per oz. fine
3	863	2	Your requisition for funds to meet Expenses for September is approved.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
4	864	3	Acknowledging receipt of the Oath of Office of Eugene G. Flinn. in M & R.
4	865	3	Thomas H. Ackley resigned his name will be dropped from Register.
4	866	3	Returns blanks, & does not consider books necessary to keep the Dept. a/c.
4	867	3	Commencing with the present fiscal year the charges collected from depositors for Refining Parting &c &c. will be deposited on the last day of each quarter with the nearest Asst Treas! also Parting
4	868	3	You are instructed to make the deduction of 1/99 from the silver of the Standard Gold in all cases.
4	869	3	Sends G/D. No 6360 for $188 72
4	870	3	Have forwarded you a copy of Printed Book of Estimates of Appropriations for the fiscal year June 30- 1886.
4	871	3	Number of S.S.D. to be Coined during Sept. 1.700.000.
4	872	3	G/D. enclosed in yours of 2d. recd.
5	873	4	Approving the appointment of Patrick F Lamb. as a Helper.
5	874	4	Approving the transfer and appointment of James J Malloy Laborer to that of Helper in the M & R. Dept.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
5	875	4	Approving the appointment of Richard A Finn as a Helper.
5	876	4	Approving the appointment of Joseph Sullivan as a Helper.
5	877	4	Approving the appointment of William McKeown as a helper
5	878	4	What is desired is a bald statement for reference to the Ordenance Dpt.
5	879	4	Acknowledges the receipt of the Oath of Office of J. Frank Brinkerhoff, Conductor in the General Dpt.
5	880	4	You are authorized to procure a suitable supply of Letter Copy Books.
5	881	4	Superintendents of each Mint will be notified not later than the first of each Month the proportion of Gold & Silver Coin to be struck during the Month.
5	882	4	Telegram "Made Official" Comptroller declines to advance amount of your requisitions for funds until additional vouchers covering disbursements by you are recd. by the Dpt.
5	883	4	Official communication to the Bureau of the Mint will be addressed to the Director of the Mint whether in reply to a communication signed by the Director or Actg Director.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
5	884	4	Relative to size of Bars from Boston & Colorado Smelting Co. enclosing Copy of Secty letter.
5	885	4	Until further notice the purchasing rate of Silver will be 104¢ per. oz. fine.
5	887½	4	Sends package said to contain 3.85 ounces Gold trans. quit to Mr Wilson. Denver Mo
6	887	5	Appointments approved.
7	888	5	In preparing balance sheets of Bullion a/c please enumerate number of Standard ozs.
7	889	5	Yours of the 4 inst enclosing statement of Silver purchased from 16 to 31 of Augst. recd.
7	890	5	Notification of the purchase of silver.
7	891	5	The expenses of transportation of S.S.D from your office is always to be paid from the Silver Profit fund.
8	893	7	Please forward sample sheet of form No 182.
9	898	8	Wishes to know number of workmen employed in the Mechanical Dpt of the Mint.
9	899	8	Relative to moneys recd from sales old material & making assays will be deposited with the nearest Asst. Treas or U.S. Depository on last of each quarter.
9	900	8	Approving the removal of Henry Wesley Cleaner in the Coiners Dpt.
	901	8	

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
9	901	8	Please forward your annual Statement of Deposits Purchases and Gold & Silver of Domestic Production for the fiscal year ended June 30- 85-
9	902	8	Have examined and referred to the proper Officers for settlement your Bullion a/c for Quarter ended March 31. 85.
10	905	9	Referring to Orr & Hess Machine loss a/c.
10	906	9	Referring to Musket Rifled lost Muskets Number
10	907	9	You are authorized to purchase two Work Books for Mc & R.
10	908	9	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
10	909	9	Notice of request for increase of Bullion Fund by a transfer of $1.000.000
11	915	10	Approving the Transfer and appointment of Thomas McC Blair. Cleaner.
11	916	10	Appointments approved.
11	917	10	Sends Blank forms for Official use-
12	918	11	Returns for the endorsement of Col. Snowden Gold Mint Receipt No 5442.
12	919	11	Returns letter from Mc & R. of your Mint.
12	920	11	Transmits Copy of Dpt Circular No 134.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
12	921	11	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
12	922	11	Until further notice Silver parted from Gold Deposits will be paid for at the rate of 92¢ per. oz. fine.
12	923	11	Appointments approved -
11	924	10	Official Oaths reced.
14	925	12	Approving the appointment of Edward R Hembold as Chief Carpenter.
14	926	12	You are authorized to invite proposals for Duck Cloth, as the 19 oz duck now furnished by John Wanamaker is not satisfactory
14	927	12	Instructions to be observed in the preparation of your Bullion a/c. for and after the first of July 1885.
14	928	12	Requests an explanation of the charge of 3¢ on Gold Deposit No 979.
14	929	12	Approving the appointment of Isabella Horner as a Helper.
14	932	12	Acknowledges receipt of your Ordinary & Refinery Expense a/c for Month of August 1885.
14	934	12	Transmits additional Table of destances
14	935	14	Relative to deposits made by Adams Ex & Co. Marked Sonora.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
14	938	14	Telegram made Official The Director will be at your mint tommor.
14	939	14	Telegram made Official. You are authorized to appoint substitutes to supply the places of the men discharged on the 12th inst. until the places are filled by regular appointees.
15	940	14	Wishes to know if you had instructions to coin uncurrent Silver coin into U.S.D.
15	941	14	Relative to deposit in May 1885 marked N.Y. was it produced in the state of N.Y.
15	942	14	You are hereby instructed to enter as unparted Mint Bars the redeposits of the Denver Mint & U.S. Assay Office not including any deposits of N.Y. Assay Office Bars.
15	944	14	Sends two M & R. work Books.
16	952	15	Expect the vaults in the P.O. will be ready by the 1st proximo. If not temporary accomodation will be made to relieve your vaults.
	950	15	Approv. appt. of John G. Bobek.
16	953	15	The changes requested in yours of the 10th in relation to Richard A Flinn have been made in the Official Register.
16	951	15	Removals approved.
16	954	15	Have not recd. your memo of Shipment to 23. from Charlotte Assay Office.
16	953	15	Notifications of the purchase of Silver

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
17	957	16	Approving the transfer of an appointment of Robt B. Monks from the position of watch man to that of cutter.
17	958	16	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
17	959	16	Telegram made official Reduce purchasing rate of Silver to 102 8/10 per. oz. fine.
19	976	18	Please report what items of the bill of the Orr & Sess Machine Co were incurred in delivering & placing in position the Ajax Coining Press.
19	977	18	Bids for 60 Bbls of Refiners Sweeps reed. & you are authorized to accept Bid of E. Balbach & Son.
21	978	18	Please allow Mr Leavitt to examine & make drawings of Machinery. I will be at Mint on Tuesday.
19	979	18	Relative to depositing the charges, on the last day of the quarter.
21	986	19	You are authorized to purchase the 8 volumes referred to by Mr McClure the Curator.
22	989	19	Approving the appointment of William Snope as a Watchman.
22	988	19	Approving the appointment of James Kane as a Conductor.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
22	989	19	Statement of Gold & Silver of Domestic Production reced for Month of April 1885.
21	990	19	Statement of Silver purchased from 1st to 15 of Sept. receid.
21	991	19	Relative to payment on loss on Mark ores is satisfactory to this Bureau.
18	992	17	Enclosed a/c for dies furnished to New Orleans & San Francisco Mints. Please render the a/c so they will show the amount expended for Labor & Material.
18	993	17	The bullion a/c of your predecessor shows a balance on the profit & loss a/c of #1060.26 Has it been deposited? it should be.
18	994	17	Examined & referred your Bullion a/c for quarter ended June 30–85
18	995	17	Silver contained in Gold Dep. will be paid for at the rate of 90¢ per standard oz.
21	996	19	Approving of the contract with John Welsh for duck cloth @ 8 3/8¢ pr yard.
18	997	17	Telegram made Official. Reduce purchasing rate of Silver to 102¢ per oz. fine.
	970	18	Approvg Appt. of James Glynning.
22	999	21	Statement of Gold Silver bullion & bars Manfg. & Gold & Silver of domestic production deposited during July has been receid.
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	971	18	Approvg removal of James Thorp from Conductr to Cutter

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
22	910	21	Referred your supplemental Ordinary Expense A/c for fiscal year ended June 30-85.
23	913	22	Approving the appointment of Miss Annie Randall an Adjuster.
23	914	22	Your statement of amt of silver purchased & delivered during the month & balance on hand on 21st inst. You omit to mention purchases of which you were advised on the 16th. inst.
23	915½	22	Bids for 2 Bbls sweeps reed. E. Ballach & Son being the highest you are Authorized to accept it.
23	916½	22	Please have the Denomination of each Gold Coin delivered by Coiner to Cashier on June 23d. 85.
23	917	22	You are authorized to have blanks prepared in Philad.
23	918	22	Relative to Balance & report on same by Treasurer.
	918½	22	Resignation of Wm. F. Pollock
24	919	23	Approving the appointment of Annie M. Shunk as Temporary Adjuster.
24	920	23	Approving the appointment of Miss Catharine E. Salsbury as a Temporary Adjuster.
24	921	23	Approving the appointment of Marcellus Cox to the Cabinet.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
24	922	23	You omitted to return the letter of Mr Geo. Eyster. to the Secty of Treas. Please forward same.
24	923½	23	Sends 12 time Books.
24	924½	23	Please forward your annual statement of wastage & loss on the sales of Sweeps for the fiscal year ending June 30. 85.
24	925½	23	Transfer of bullion from Carson Mint to Phil Mint of the sum of $403.619^{46} payable in 21.694.46 oz of Standard Gold Bullion.
24	926½	23	Please forward the annual statement of deposits & purchases.
24	927½	23	Please have bills of Orr Hess Machine Co Limited re examined for the per diem pay.
24	928½	23	Notification of the purchase of silver.
25	930½	24	Relative to depositing charges collected of depositors in the same quarter in which they accrue.
26	935	25	The changes recommended in yours of the 24th inst are approved.
26	936	25	Please forward form 125 Record of Coins reserved for annual assay.
26	937½	25	As there is such a surplus of cents & five ¢ pieces in the vaults of the Treas. it will not be desirable to resume their Coinage

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
26	938½	25	Please inform me of the cost of the Engravers Dpt. of your Mint for each of the last two years.
26	939½	25	Encloses Mems showing cost of coinage at Phil Mint for 1884+85 fiscal year. Proceed as rapidly as possible to coins to coins the Gold Bullion at your Mint in addition to monthly allotment of $2.
27	940½	26	Approving the appointment of John McKee as a Watchman.
27	941½	26	Approving the appointment of John Jordan as a Watchman.
27	942½	26	Approving the appointment of Saml. Shubert as a Watchman.
27	943½	26	Approving the appointment John Landy as a helper.
28	944½	26	Returns bi monthly payrolls for month of August.
30	952½	29	Recd Official Oaths of Office.
30	953½	29	Relative to Cashiers statement of Cost of coining $2. at Philad^a Mint you will coin ½ Eagles.
30	954½	29	Acknowledges receipt of your estimates of appropriation for support of your institution
30	955½	29	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Oct 1	956	29	Forwards by Express 6.18 oz of Gold bullion for Mr Brooks.
1	957	30	Ordering the purchase of weights for San Francisco Mint.
2	958	30	Examined your Ordinary & Refinery a/c & referred the same to the proper Officers disallowing the ½ days pay of $8.47 to Kate L. Marshall.
1	959	30	Encloses a/c. of Times amounting to $3.30 for advertising.
1	960	30	Telegram made Special Please hasten report Asst Hess labor a/c. requested on the 23 inst by letter.
~~30~~ 1	961½	30	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
30	~~948~~ 948	15	Approving Appt. of Miss Lillie Jordan as a Temporary Adjuster.
	947	15	Approvg Appt. of Miss Anna K Brooks as a Temporary Adjuster.
	949	15	Approvg. Appt. of George Eshrick as a Register of Warrants.
	962	17	Approvg the transfer of John Leary from Cleaner to that of Cutter.
	969	17	Approvg Appt. of Saml Oswald as a Cleaner.
	965	17	Approvg Appt. of Joseph J Krupp as a Laborer.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
	967	17	Approvg Appt of Thos McGowan as a Laborer.
	966	17	Approvg Appt of John Jones as a Laborer.
	964	17	Approvg Appt of Peter Hopkins as a Laborer.
	963	17	Approvg transfer of J.H. Hamilton from Watchman to that of Cutter
	968	17	Approvg Appoint of Thomas McIntyre.
	975	18	Approvg Apptg. of Frank Hendrick as a Laborer.
	974	18	Approvg Appt of Chas E. Townsend as a Register of Deposits.
	973	18	Approvg Appt of Geo. F. Herbig as a Laborer.
	972	18	Approvg Appt of Edward Cavanaugh as an Annealer.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
2	964	1	Approving the transfer & appointment of Jas. Kane as a Roller in the Coiners Dpt.
2	965	1	Approving the transfer & appointment of Wm Benckert as a Cleaner in the Coiners
2	966	1	Relative to special appropriation of $25.000 for repairs of Machinery.
2	967	1	You will please take from the first & two subsequent deliveries in each week a piece of each denomination of Gold & Silver coined at your Mint & forward them at close of each Month. Of Dimes ten pieces.
3	969	2	Returns annual & Twelve monthly statements for corrections.
3	970	2	Coins forwarded from your Mint for special Assay have been rec'd. 9 Stand Dollars.
3	971	2	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
5	973	3	Official Oaths rec'd.
5	974	3	Approved & referred a bill of stationary amounting to $86 36
7	978	5	Approving the transfer of James Magner from Cutter to Annealer in the Coiners.
7	979	5	Approving the transfer of William Haggerty from Annealer to Cutter in the Coiners dpt.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
my	980	6	The number of $ & $ to be coined during Oct. will be 1.700.000
my	981	5	Relative to 12 monthly statements. Telegraph if you have not reced. them.
my	982	6	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
8	986	6	Telegram made Official. Two thirds of your Gold Coinage during Octo will be in Half Eagles, one third in Eagles.
9	989	8	Acknowledges receipt of Oath of Office Catharine E Salsbury. Temporary Adjuster.
	990	8	Approving the appointment of Mary Brown as an Adjuster.
	991	8	Approving the appointment of Elizabeth H Clerkes. as an Adjuster.
	992	8	Approving the appointment of Ella Barratt. as an Adjuster.
	993	8	Approving the appointment of Louis O Neil as an Annealer.
9	994	6	Please forward the receipt of your predecessor for the value of Minor Coinage Metals transferred to him.
9	995	8	Please furnish this bureau with a statement of the net amount of Silver profits on hand at your Mint Sept. 30. 1885.
10	997	9	Approving the appointment of John Horan Laborer

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
	998	10	Approving the appointment of Sarah L. Alrich as an Adjuster.
	999	10	Approving the Appointment of Mary E. Johnson as an Adjuster.
	1000	10	Approving the Appointment of Charles E. Knight as Assister.
	1001	9	Stationary.
10	1002	9	Notification of the purchase of Silver
10	1003	9	The request has been made this day that your bullion fund be increased $1.000.000
10	1004	9	50 Statements of Bullion operations in the M & R. dept.
10	1005	9	A transfer has been requested from bullion fund from U.S. Assay Office N.Y. to that of your Mint of the sum of $52.092
10	1006	9	Recd your report of charges collected during quarter ended Sept. 30 - 85.
~~10~~	1012	12	Introducing Mr. Geo. Booth.
12	1013	10	Relative to Photograph of Mint - was it returned from New Orleans -
12	1014	10	Request has been made for a transfer from N.Y. Assay Office of $113.432.56 payable in 97.481.16 oz of Silver.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
	1018	12	Acknowledges the receipt of the Oath of Office of Elizebeth Yerkes an Adjuster.
	1019	12	Acknowledges the receipt of the Oath of Office of Louis C Neil an Annealer in the Coiners dpt.
	1020	15	Acknowledges the receipt of the Oath of Office of Sarah A. Alrick an Adjuster in the Coiners.
13	1021	12	Circular relative to Class of Gold read The circular you forward is objectionable & incomplete.
13	1022	13	Relative to Books returned by Mr Pollock you must judge if they are the ones called for in your letter of Sept. 21.
14	1025	13	Acknowledges recpt of the Oath of Office Mary Brooks an Adjuster in Coiners Dpt.
14	1026	13	Have requested the Secty of the Treas to cause to be advanced you the sum of $1.000
14	1027	13	Requisition for funds to meet October expenses have been approved for the sum of $40.000
14	1028	13	Notification of the purchase of silver.
14	1029	13	Encloses Medal Fund Vouchers.
	1032	15	Acknowledges the receipt of the Oath of Office of John Horan Laborer
	1033	15	The names of James Brookshank & Mary Broom have been corrected on the register of this Bureau—

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
	1036	16	Approving the transfer of Engineer H. Kenn from helper on M & R. to Helper on Assay Dept.
	1037	16	Approving the appointment of Miss Edith L. Bunting as an Adjuster.
	1038	16	Approving the appointment of John Bonner as an Engineer
	1039	16	Approving the appointment of John V. Cox a draft. as Medal Clerk.
16	1040	15	Medal Fund a/c read & Coiners Report Medals & Proof Coins Mfg. for 3d Quarter of Calender Year.
17	1044½	16	Appg Supts application for Purchase of new Foreman Balance
16	1045	16	Sends a $20 California gold piece. send draft for value to J.T. Allison, Longview Texas.
17	1046	16	Ordinary & Refinery Expense a/c read.
17	1047	16	Encloses 1 & makes a one (1) Dollar gold piece of 1885 returned to him.
	1052	19	Acknowledging the receipt of the Oath of Office of Mary E. Johnson Adjuster.
	1053	19	Acknowledging the receipt of the Oath of Office of Mrs Ella L. Barrett Adjuster.
	1054	19	The name of Howard White helper resigned
	1055	19	Approving the appointment of Miss Kate Carlin as an Adjuster.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
	1056	20	Acknowledging the receipt of the Oath of Office of John W Cracraft Medal Clerk.
	1057	20	Acknowledging the receipt of the Oath of Office of Edith L Benting an Adjuster.
	1058	20	Acknowledging the recpt of the Oath of Office of John Bonner Engineer
	1059	20	Sarah L. Alrich resigned.
	1060	20	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
19	1060½	16	Authorizing sale of Sifting Screen & Ericson Engine.
22	1062	21	Send your Statement of Gold & Silver of Domestic Production - of Deposits of Gold & Silver Bullion also of Bars Mfg.
	1062½	21	Relating to time spent on different work & taking o/c of same
23	1064	22	Please forward a Copy of Form No 232 Supts Monthly Statements of Balances of Bullion & Coins.
24	1065	23	C/D 6384 for $13.10 recd. being on a/c of old material sold -
24	1066	23	C/D No 6394 for $49.64/96 being on a/c of Minor Coinage Profit recd.
24	1067	23	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
24	1068	23	Transmits Assayers report on special assays for month of August 1885.
24	1069	23	Statement of Ore Assays has been recd & forwarded to Secty. With Certificate of Deposit
24	1069½	23	Asks Supt to extend civilities to Prof Egleston for an examination of the technical processes of Mint

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
24	1070	23	C/D No 6386 for $2894.34 being on a/c of parting & refining charges.
24	1071	23	C/D No 6386 for $69.62 being on a/c alloy charges.
24	1072	23	C/D No 6395 for $450 being on a/c of medals & proof coins profits.
24	1073	23	C/D No 6385 for $127 being on a/c Assays of ores & bullion
24	1074	23	To coin 1¢ & 5¢ pieces to the amt of $16.930.94 to enable Supt. to deposit above bal on profits in the Treas.
26	1078	24	Acknowledges recpt of the Oath of Office of Miss Kate Carlin an Adjuster.
26	1079	24	Approving the appointment of Miss Hannah R Tunnel an Adjuster.
26	1080	24	Approving the appointment of Miss Eliza L Jefferson as an Adjuster.
27	1084	26	The Secty was requested on the 5th inst to transfer $27.823.56 Denver gold the Bullion fund
27	1085	26	To deposit in the name of Posey S. Wilson Assayer Denver Mint $988.43, on proceeds from Sweep & Charges Bars. & forward C/Ds to Director.
28	1086	27	Notification of the purchase of Silver

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
28	1087	27	Sends blank forms to render your Monthly Statements of deposits & purchases of Gold & Silver bullion. Enclosed find Statement for September & explain the entry of of 61.716.01 oz of Silver bars not fine
29	1089	28	The name of Clara A. Hilt. as Adjuster in Coinage Dpt. resigned
29	1090	28	Approving the removal of J.M. Elliot Warrant Clerk.
29	1091	28	Approving the transfer of Mrs Lucy S Price temporary Adjuster.
29	1092	28	Acknowledging the rcpt of the Oath of Office of Miss Kate Carlin as Adjuster
29	1093	28	Approving the removal of Pauline M Hazlett as Adjuster.
29	1094	28	Acknowledging the receipt of the Oath of Office of Eliza L Jefferson as Adjuster
29	1095	28	Approving the appointment of Archibald Vandergrift as Chief Engineer
29	1096	28	Approving the Appointment of Alfred Richardson as a Watchman.
29	1097	28	Approving the appointment of John H Holmes as Watchman.
29	1098	28	Approving the appointment of George H Fitler as Laborer.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
29	1999	28	Relative to Photograph of Mint Building sent to New Orleans Centennial.
29	2000	28	Notification of the purchase of Silver
30	2002	29	Please prepare & forward to San Francisco Mint the following Dies for 1886. Double Eagles 10 Obverse 10 Reverse. Eagles 10 " 10 " Half Eagles 10 " 10 "
30	2003	29	Recd Certificate of Deposit No 6404 for $988 43 in favour of Assayer in Charge U.S. at Denver.
	2006	30	Approving the appointment of Miss Maggie N Johnson as an Adjuster.
	2007	30	Approving the appointment of Miss Agnes Mc Erren as an Adjuster.
	2008	30	Acknowledging the receipt of the Oath of Office of Miss Hannah R Tunnell an Adjuster
	2009	30	Approving the Appointment of Miss Eliza Tolnell as an Adjuster.
31	2010	30	Notification of the Purchase of Silver
31	2011	2	Telegram made Official 2/3 of our Gold coinage during next will be in 1/2 Eagles 1/3 in Eagles.
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 Four communications relative to the Stolen Bars - in sealed Envelope.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
3	2016	2	Recd. the Coins reserved for special assay during October.
3	2016½	31	Relative to Lattice work for vault at P.O.
3	2017	2	Cloth lined envelopes will be sent you this week.
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3	2018	2	Sends 75 Blank Oaths of Office.
3	2019	2	Bertha Kahn Temporary Adjuster resigned
3	2020	2	The name of Isabella Hornor will be dropped from the rolls.
4	A.D.M. 2023	3	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
4	2024	3	The Number of S.S.D. to be coined in Novr.
4	2025	3	Recd Oath of Geo. W Fitter. Laborer.
4	2026	3	Recd Oath of Archibald L Vandergrift Engineer
4	2027	3	Recd Oath of Maggie M. Johnson Adjuster.
4	2028	3	Recd Oath of Alfred Richardson Watchman.
4	2029	3	Recd Oath of John H Homes Watchman.
5	2036	4	Recd Oath of Office of Agnes McEwen Adjuster
5	2037	4	Recd Oath of Office of Eliza Tolwell Adjuster.
	2037½	4	Telegram made official Treas suggests that you use the upper vaults in the P.O. Building temporarily for the storage of Silver Bullion. He does not deem it expedient to have the profits deposited with the asst treas.
5	2038	4	Notification of the purchase of Silver
5	2039	4	Sends Table of distances to Jamestown Pa. from Philad^a.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
6	2040	5	Reced. Oath of Office of Chas. E. Knight.
6	2040½	5	Relative to Soldiers & Sailors discharged from Mint.
6	2041	5	Inquires of all the 100.000 oz of Silver sold by Clark Dodge & Co. was ordered in October if any was furnished in Sept. make statement of same.
6	2042	5	Acknowledges receipt of statement of Silver purchased from 16 to 31 of October.
m/	2043	6	Extension of time granted to Messrs Standy & Cronise in which to complete delivery of m/5.000 oz of Silver.
m/	2044	6	Permission granted to pass the S.S. D from Carson Mint through your a/c. without recoining.
m/	2045	6	Approving appointment of Saml H Crozier as a helper.
m/	2046	6	Approving the transfer & appointment of G. W. Fitler
m/	2047	6	Approving the transfer & appointment of Saml Bookbinder.
m/	2048	6	Approving the appointment of John S. Fitzgerald.
m/	2049	6	Approving the appointment of Cornelius Callahan.
m/	2050	6	Approving the appointment of Joseph Snope
m/	2051	6	Approving the appointment of Sarah Clark.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
m/	2052	6	Approving the appointment of Jacob Renier
m/	2053	6	Approving the appointment of Thomas H. Rinker.
m/	2054	6	Approving the transfer & appointment of P F. Lamb.
9	2056	m/	Sends 1000 Cashiers daily balances No 135.
9	205 m/	m/	Requisitions for funds approved for the sum
10	2057¼	9	of $40.000.
10	2057½	9	Wishes memo. of Dep. recd. from C. I. Cowles. A. Off. Charlotte. N. C. - Mr C. having been superceded by R. P. Waring, acc. should be closed without delay.
10	2060	10	Encloses bills of Orr & Hess Machine Co & requests that you will examine & let the Director know if goods were recd.
11	2062	10	Notification of the purchase of Silver
11	2063	10	Sends 50 statements for supplies - note what is said in Red Ink.
12	2065	11	Approving appointment of John McIlvain.
12	2066	11	Official Oaths recd.
12	206 m/	11	Removal of Geo. L. Beatty.
12	2068	11	Notification of the purchase of silver.
12	2069	11	The Secty of the Treas has been requested to cause the sum of $1.000.000 to be deposited in Treas U.S. Newyork.
10	2057¼	9	Wishes memo. of all Deps recd from Spruille Braden in Chg of A. Off. Boise city. Idaho. Mr B. having been succeeded by H. F. Wild - his a/c should be closed.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
12	2070	11	Relative to pay of John Algier for July 1st 85.
12	2071	11	Relative to P.O. Vaults & that an advance be made upon to meet the expense.
12	2072	11	Permission to deposit monies recd from sale of old material with Asst Treas. on day recd.
13	2074	12	Relative to making up statements of supplies for each Dept.
13	2075	12	Sends 1.00. Revised Statements of Earnings & expenditures to take the place of those now in use
	2075½	12	approving transfer & appointment of Thos Crookshank from Roller to Cleaner.
13	2076	12	Telegram made official Coin $40.000 in Dimes as soon as practicable
	2076½	12	approving the transfer & appointment of Danl Dunwald from Cleaner to Roller.
14	2080	13	Has requested the Secty of the Treas. to cause to be advanced the sum of $1.000 to meet expenses incurred in safe keeping of coin in vaults in P.O. Building.
14	2081	13	Notification of the purchase of silver.
16	2084	14	Acknowledging the receipt of the notice of the Death of James W. Abell.
16	2085	14	Acknowledging the receipt of the Oath of Office of John McElwain Laborer.
16	2086	14	Ordering the coinage of Dimes.
16	2087	14	Encloses Table of Distances.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
16	2088	14	Bill for 3.000 Envelopes sent in Sept.
17	2091	16	Sends 100 Medal Reports.
17	2092	16	Relative to Books for Weigh Clerks.
18	2093	17	Reed. statements of Silver purchased from 1 to 15 of Inst.
18	2094	17	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
18	2095	17	Adams Express bill for transporting Gold from P.O. to Mint.
18	2096	17	Reed Certificate of Dept. for $358.24 for Old Material sold. Please forward statement showing Material sold.
	2096½	17	Relative to Bonds of Employees also, enclosures.
18	2097	17	Reed Oath of Office of Cornelius Callahan
18	2098	17	Reed Oath of Office of Joseph Snope.
19	2100	18	Bullion a/c reed. for Quarter ending Sept 30. 85.
19	2101	18	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
19	2102	18	Ordinary Refinery Expense a/c for Acts Reed
	2102½	18	You can proceed to plank up Telegram made Special door & provide grating to cut off Corridor as suggested in your letter & pay for same from first moneys advanced you on a/c of Coinage of Silver dollars.
21	2109	20	Relative to B & O. Telegraph Bill. & changes on Pay Rolls.
	2111	21	Transferring of Geo. Provand from helper in M.R. to Painter.

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	2112	21	Approving the appointment of John N. Yerkes.
	2113	21	" " William Hennings as a Fireman.
	2114	21	Approving the appointment of Jacob Reinenter. as a Roller.
	2115	21	Approving the transfer of John Horan from Laborer to Fireman.
	2116	21	Approving the appointment of Martin Killicky a helper.
	211[illegible]	21	Trans ferring Chas E Knight from Hoister in M+R. to Carpenter.
	2118	21	Approving the appointment of William A Green as a Roller.
	2118½	21	Approving appointment of Wm Bott.
	2119	21	Approving the appointment of John O. Nehlig as a Cleaner.
	2120	21	Approving the appointment of William S Turner as a Hoister.
	2121	21	Approving the appointment of James Hurley.
23	2122	21	250 Sheets Form No 3 A. reed.
23	2123	21	Quarterly report must be sent not later than 30 days after closing of Quarter.
23	2124	21	Assayers report on special Assay Coins.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
	2125	21	Approving the appointment of John Mc Laughlin as a Millwright.
	2129	23	Letter stating $40.000 in dimes have been coined read. Procede to coin dimes of uncurrent silver coin recently transferred you by the Treas.
25	2131	24	Your Ordinary Refinery Expense a/c for Sept. referred to the proper Officers.
25	2132	24	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
25	2133	24	Notification of the purchase of Silver
25	2134	25	Relative to Coining 1/2 & 1/4 dollars. from 3 to 5 thousand dollars in value.
25	2135	25	Relative to compressed silver bars. Such silver should not be reced. unless out first being Melted. subject to usual melting Charge
25	2136	25	Adams Express a/c. Bill is sent you for payment from your silver profit fund. Please transmit your draft on Asst Treas N.Y. to this Office.
25	2137	25	Sends P.O. No
25	2139	26	Relative to payment of Expenses incurred at P.O.
	2140	25	Approving the appointment of J.M. Alburger
	2141	25	Approving the appointment of Henry J. Goodrick
	2142	25	Approving the appointment of Mahlon H. Gallagher

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
28	2143	27	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
28	2144	27	Encloses Adams Ex Co. a/c receipted.
√ 28	2145	27	Relative to Bonds of Employees. Letter from Henry L. Jaggert.
30	2147	28	Notice of request for increase of Bullion Fund by a transfer of $1.000.000
30	2148	28	Wishes to know why no Gold was coined this month. Please proceede to coin gold.
30	2149	28	Relative Adams Ex bill
30	2150	28	Acknowledging receipt of letter announcing death of Ezra Calhoun.
Dec 1	2152	30	The Number of Pieces to be Coined of U.S. Q is 1.700.000
1	2153	30	Telegram Made Official 2/3 of your gold coinage during Dec. will be in 1/2 Eagles 1/3 in Eagles.
1	2154	30	Referred the bills of Borgner & O'Brien for Boiler Blocks, to the proper accounting officers

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
2	2159	2	Approving the Appointment of Joseph Fite as an Adjuster of Scales, vice Ellis Pugh removed.
2	2160	3	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
2	2161	3	Encloses copy of communication from A.J. Meyer.
3	2162	4	Acknowledges receipt of Official Oaths of Office
3	2163	4	Change of pay of Martin Kallacky from $2.90 to $3.25
3	2164	4	Reed coins reserved for special Assay. at your Mint.
3	2165	4	You are Authorized to purchase Gold Dollar of 1815 at price named.
3	2166	4	Statement of Silver purchased During November at your Mint.
3	2167	4	Oath of John H Yerkes Helper in the Mint Dpt. reed.
2	2168	4	Check for $80.000 to Adams Ex Co. reed returned warrant properly receipted
2	2169	4	Resignation of Miss Annie Shaffer an temporary Adjuster in the Coiners.
2	2170	4	Saml. A. Heins Gas fitter resigned.
4	2171	4	Referring to Blank forms of Statements of Gold & Silver of Domestic Production.
4	2172	4	Relative to expenses of M.L. Muhleman and Geo. Noehler.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
4	2174 m	5	Notification of the purchase of Silver
5	2178 m	m	Your Register of Gold & Silver Deposits & Silver purchases for 3d Quarter of 1885 recd.
8	2181	8	Approving the Appointment of John First as a Gas Fitter vice Saml Heins resigned
8	2182	m	The supply of Dept circulars No 23 is the remainder of the last reprint. Correspondents wanting 10 or 5 pieces may be referred to U.S. Asst Treas. at Phil.
8	2183	m	Sends Department circular No 61. 1885 relative to ordering Books & Blanks.
8	2184	m	Prepare & ship to New Orleans Mint 40 pairs of dies for the coinage of S.S.D. of 1886.
9	2186	8	Statement of Sweeps sold during 3d Quarter recd.
9	2187 m	8	Notification of the purchase of silver.
9	2188	8	Statement of Old Material sold recd.
9	2189	8	C/D No 6436 for $2.000 on a/c of Minor Coinage Profits recd.
10	2192	8	C/D No 6421 for 3900 on a/c Minor Coinage Profit recd.
10	2193	8	C/D No 6435 for $25.92 on a/c Old Material sold recd.
10	2194	8	C/D No 6418 for $358.24 on a/c of Old Material sold recd.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
10	2195	9	Requisition for funds has been approved for the sum of $46.000
10	2196	8	C/D No 6433 for $2.500 on a/c Minor Coinage Profit reed.
10	2197	8	C/D No 6431 for $2.000 on a/c of Minor Coinage Profit reed.
10	2198	8	C/D No 6419 for $2.539 on a/c of Minor Coinage Profit reed.
10	2199	9	Notice of request for increase of bullion fund By a transfer of $1.000.000
16	2200	8	C/D No 6422 for $1.500 on a/c of Minor Coinage Profit reed.
11	2202	10	Giving authority to coin Gold Dollars.
11	2203	10	Oath of John Hirsh Gas fitter reed.
11	2204	10	Oath of Joseph Fite Adjuster of scales reed.
11	2205	10	Oath of William Bott Blacksmith reed
11	2206	10	Approving the promotion of Nathan S. Beckley to Chief Weigher from Asst Foreman vice Ezra Calhoun deceased.
11	2207	9	Transmits Assayers Report.
11	2208	10	Relative to Coins of 1792 - 1874 & 1826 - the exchanges meets with my approval
11	2208½	10	Returns bills of Or & Hess. Co. Lim. for Supt's approval.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
11	2209	10	Have examined & referred to the proper Officers Your Medal Fund a/c.
√ 12	2210	12	Sends 10 Blank Bonds & 20 affidavits. of surety.
12	2211	11	Telegram made official Mail to day 50 Copies Form 14 m. List of Medals & Cabinet Coins.
12	2212	11	Letter enclosing bids recd. E. Balbach & Sons being the highest should be accepted.
12	2213	11	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
12	2214	11	Sends 100 Statements of Deposits & purchases.
12	2215	12	Relative to appropriation to pay wages.
14	2216	12	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
14	2217	12	Returns Memo. No. 1891. of Gold Bullion for correction There is an error of $20.
14	2218	12	Encloses copy of a Letter, to the President of Kansas City Smelting Co.
14	2224	15	Can you accommodate Dr. Foster Quimby of Salem. Mass. with 5 ct Pieces of 1877. '78 '79.
16	2225	15	Relative to error of Adams Ex. Co. of 12 cts.
16	2226	15	C. D. No 6438 for $2.387 on a/c of minor coinage Profits.
16	2227	15	Please ship to R. E Preston $100 in bronze Pennies. at his expense.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
16	2228	15	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
17	2230	16	Sends two books found in Dpt. in Washington intended for Phila. Mint.
17	2231	16	You will coin Two Millions in Eagles & half Eagles.
17	2232	16	Your ordinary Refinery & S. S. Dis expense a/c recd.
18	2232½	17	Will be in Phila on Saturday & will inquire if trouble has arisen fr Acid fumes.
18	2233	17	It is necessary that you should coin $ 50.000 in Dimes immediately.
18	~~2234~~	17	~~Encloses draft No. 1989 for $47.000~~. See Treas U.S.
19	2237	18	Statement of Silver purchases from 1st to 15th of December.
19	2238	18	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
19	2239	18	Sends addition Table of distances.
22	2242	21	Balance loaned by you to Treas. will be returned today.
22	2243	21	Have requested a Transfer of Bullion from N Y Assay Office to your Mint of the sum of $54.206.99 payable in 57.722. oz. of Standard Silver.
23	2244	22	Have examined your Ordinary & Refinery Expense a/c.
23	2245	22	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
23	2246	22	Sends 10 Copies of Book of Rules & Tables for computing Bullion values.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
23	2247	22	Pay for overtime work is allowed for all employees paid by the day.
24	2248	23	Relative to Gold & Silver Certificates being in Book form instead of loose sheets.
24	2249	23	Telegram made Official. Report today by telegraph the best you can do to increase the production of Dimes.
24	2250	23	Relative to contract with Adams Ex. Co. to transport Silver Dollars from Mint to P.O. Vaults for 25 cts per $1.000.
25	2257	24	Appg appointment of Geo. Carter as Laborer in the Genl. Dep.
26	2252	24	Appg appointment of Mary Calligan as Helper in Genl
26	2253	24	Sends 100 Copies Department Circular No. 97.
26	2254	24	Orr & Hess Machine Co. Bills. please return.
28	2258	26	Request for Notice of increase of Bullion Fund. by a Transfer of $1.000.000.
29	2261	29	Telegram made Official — "Demand for Dimes is pressing. how many have you on hand"?
30	2263	29	Acknowg receipt of Oath of Office. Mary Caligan helper in Gen. Dep.
30	2264	29	Acknowlg recpt. of Oath of Off. of Geo. Carter Laborer in Gen. Dep.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
30	2267	29	Relative to Col. Snowdens a/c. – please return yr action by return mail
30	2267½	30	Wishes Statement showing amt. of Gold coin & Bul. & S. coin & Bul. in Treas. Bul. fund a/c. at close of quarter from Dec 31. 1877 back to July 1. 1860.
31	2270	30	2/3 of Gold Coinage for January will be in 1/2 Eagles and 1/3 in Eagles.
31	2270½	30	Relative to profit charged to yourself $123.68. the value of Sweep Bar rec'd from Boise City. Idaho. It seems to be a clerical error.
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2	2274	31	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
2	2275	31	Relative to Orr. & Hess. Co. Bills. the present return must be considered as final.
4	2277	31	Bill for Stationery.
		Jan.	
4	2278	2	Number of S. S. D's to be coined the current month.
4	2278½	2	App'g trans. & app't of C. E. Knight. fr. Carpenter to Helper. Gen'l
4	2279	2	Relative to Ledger. make requisition.
4	2280	2	Encloses 12 Copies of the circular Jan. 1. 1886. estimating & Proclaming the value of foreign coins.
4	2281	2	Two Bills of Orr & Hess Machine Co. approved & referred to proper Officers.
4	2282	2	Encloses Copy of Letter to Prof. Egleston relative to giving information to visitors.
4	2283	2	Agreement made with Adams Ex. Co. Received

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
4	2284	2	Telegram made Official. Suspend coinage of Gold and coin Dimes until all Silver available for that purpose is coined. Demand for Dimes very pressing. Must do your best to increase their output. Last months work in dimes disappointing.
4	2285	2	Coins reserved for Special Assay recd.
5	2290	4	Returns Bullion a/c for Quarter ending Sept 30. 1885. Please eliminate the profit of $ 123.68.
5	2291	4	Please forward Statement Amt. of Gold & Silver Bullion on hand December. 31. 1885.
6	2292	5	Please forward Statement showing number of Trade Dollars issued each year since June 30. 1878 & number remaining on hand.
6	2292½	5	Appg. Appt. of Chas Lindermeier as Watchman
6	2293	5	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
6	2294	5	Please transmit form No. 125 - Monthly record of Coins received for annual Assay for Sept. Oct. Nov. & Dec. 1885.
7	2295	6	Prepare & forward yr. Statement of Domestic Production & Deposits & Purchases for Oct. Nov. Dec. 1885. without delay.
7	2296	6	Relative to requisitions. Encloses one.
8	2299	7	C.D. No. 6454. for $ 6.11 being on a/c of old metal sold.
8	2299½	7	Appg appt of Henry Opper. Machinist. Coiner D.
8	2300	7	C.D. No. 6465 for $ 55.66 being on a/c Alloy charges.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
8	2301	7	C. D. no 6453 for $3040.96 being on a/c of Parting & Refining Charges.
8	2302	7	C. D. no 6453 for $ 65 being on a/c of Assay fees.
8	2303	7	Until further notice the purchasing rate of Silver, in Lots of less than 10.000 Ozs, at yr. Mint, will be $1.01 1/2 per Oz. fine
9	2306	8	Notification of the Rechase of Silver.
9	2307	8	Request has been made for transfer fr. Bullion Fund of U. S. Assay Office. N. Y. to yr. Mint. of $62.695.87 Ozs of S. Silver. When recd treat it as purchase for S. D. coinage.
11	2311	9	Received Offl oaths of persons recently appd. in the Mint
12	2314	11	Recd Statements of Deposits, Purchases & Domestic Production of Gold & Silver Bullion for Oct. Nov. Dec. 1885.
* 12	2314 1/2	11	
12	2315	11	Ack. Recpt of Medals & Proof coins mailed with abstracts & Vouchers for Quarter ending Dec. 31/85
12	2315 1/2	11	Appg Appt of Christian D. Hendrg, as Conductor. Genl Dep
13	2321	12	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
13	2322	12	Appg Supts contract to Jno. A. Taylor to supply Mint with Black Lead crucibles & c
14	2324	13	Recd quarterly Statement of earnings & expenditures for period ended Dec. 31/85
14	2324 1/2	13	Appg transfer & Appt of Fred C. Herring, Dep. Meller as a Shipping Clerk. Genl Dep.
14	2325	13	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
* 12	2314 1/2	11	Desires information as to the nature of the evidence of Mr Mahis authorship of anonymous Letter. Encloses appeal from Mr Hahn.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
14	2325½	13	Encloses $5 Gold Piece for return in value.
14	2326	13	Ack. recpt of oath of Office of Henry Opper. Machinist. Coiner's Dep.
15	2331	14	Has requested Sec. of Treas'y to advance $1000. to meet the expenses of the refinery during the present month - payable from appropriation for Parting & refining Bullion
15	2332	14	Appd. requisition for funds to meet expenses of yr. Institution. for Sum of $32.000
15	2333	14	Has requested Sec'y of Treas'y to advance $9000 from appropriation for S.S. D's to meet expenses of Mint on account of that coinage.
15	2334	14	Mailed 50 Statements. Silver Purchases & Deliveries. No 233.
16	2336	15	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
16	2336½	15	Letter of 13 recd as to Mr Kalin's removal. - Desire anonymous Letter & other specimens of Mr Kspen's ship sent to Bureau of Mint.
18	2339	16	Recd Ordy. Refining S.S. D. coinage & Storage a/c for Dec. /85
19	2340	18	Returns for correction, Statements of Deposits & Purchases for months of Oct; Nov; & Dec. 1885. — Statement to be returned as soon as practicable.
19	2341	18	C.D. no 6476. for $565 being on a/c of Profit on Medals
20	2343	19	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
20	2344	19.	In Medal Fund a/c for 3d Quarter /85. $139.46 recd for "old Meterial" should not have been on that a/c. — The entry should show that C.D. was on account of sale of "Old Meterial" not "Profits"

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
21	2350	20	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
21	2350½	20	Returns to Supt Papers concerning anonymous correspondence.
21	2351	20	Appg contract of Jno. A. Taylor for supplying Mint with crucibles &c
21	2352	20	Requisition from Supt. of San Francisco Mint for Coiners Dep. for Tile for annealing furnace, 20. 15. 4. with flanges — Purchase same & have them packed & sent to Col. M. I. Ludington. quarter master. U S A. Who will forward them.
21	2353	20	Asks. if the "Neil Devine" appt on Jan 2. & Thos. M. Devine, whose oath of Off. was under date of Jan 8th represent the same man. Which is the correct name? — Differences of this kind appear in many instances. — Please cause greater care to be taken.
21	2354	20	Returns Supt Bullion Acct for quarter ended Sept 30/85 for correction.
22	2355	21	Wishes original Statements of Deposits & Purchases for Oct, Nov. Dec. 1885 as corrected Statements do not agree with amounts in the books of this Office
23	2358	22	Recd Bullion a/c for 3d quarter 1885
23	2358½	22	Says, if Supts prefers to come to Washington.
23	2359	22	Notification of the Purchase of Silver
25	2361	23	App. Apt of J. Hall. Oliver. Mis. clerk. vice Edwards res'd. Please report date of Appt
25	2362	23	Appd & referred Bullion a/c for quarter ending Sept 30/85
25	2363	23	Tel. That he will be at the Mint Tuesday forenoon.
27	2366	26	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
27	2367	26	Ackg receipt of oath of Office Christian G. Hendrig Conductor.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
27	2368	26	Requests Statement showing where the Delivery of Silver purchased has not been del'd within the month and amt. of Silver deld in Oct. & Nov. on Oct. Contracts also Similar Statements for Nov. for amt deld in Dec.
27	2369	26	$139.46. Recd for old Copper, sold in Medal Fund a/c. 8th - 2/85. Should be deposited as "old meterial" sold & go into the regular a/c.
28	2371	27	Sends 250 Bill heads. (Engravers Dep).
28	2372	27	Examined & referred Ordinary & Refinery. Expenses a/c. for November. 1885.
28	2373	27	Says. If Register of Deposits is ready for final transmission to the "Bureau" it may be remailed.
29	2374	28	Has recd. Corrected Statements for Earnings & Expenditures for Quarters ending Sept. 30th & Dec 31/85.
29	2375	28	C. D. no 6482 a/c of "Old Meterial" Sold. $23.70cts has been recd & forwarded
29	2376	28	C. D. no 6484. a/c. of "old Material" Sold. $139.46 has been recd & forwarded
29	2376½	29	Finds that in the case of Chas. E. Knights transfer from Gen'l. Dep. to the M & R. Dep. - the change was erroneously approved to take effect from date of removal of Hugh Hawkins - Change your record to read, "to take effect from date of assuming duties of Helper in latter Dep.
30	2379	29	Transmits Assayers Report upon Special Assay Coins taken from Mint during Nov. 1885, for Test

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
30	2380	29.	Requests explanation of the payment of 49. days wages to three watchmen, to Mch., in the Genl Dep. during Dec., out of moneys advanced for appropriation for coinage of S. S. Ds. — and on another roll. six workmen are credited with from two to six days extra pay for services rendered in Nov, but appear to have earned nothing in Dec.
30	2381	29	Detailed account will not be required of certain Assay Commissioners.
30	2382	29	Directs that in Statements of Deposits & Purchases, Trade Dollars be entered under U. S. Silver coin & indicated by a * below the number of Trade Dollars included. — If not done since July 1st/85 please forward Statement of number of T. Ds deposited since July 1./85 during each month.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
1	2384	30	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
2	2385	1	Has recd coins reserved during month Jan. 1886. for Special Assay.
1	2386	30	Telegram made official. Telegraph im meadiately maximum rate at which Bars shall be delivered. — Will be at N.Y. Assay Office 1st of next Month. Will notify Supt.
3	2388	2	Notice of request for increase of Bullion Fund by a Transfer of $1.000.000.
3	2389	2	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
3	2390	2	Miss Anna M. Norris, adjuster, in Coiners Dep, resigned has been dropped from "Official Register".
3	2391	2	Acknowledging receipt of communication announcing the death of Mrs Martha Horner, in Genl. Dep.
4	2393	3	Wishes to have forwarded as early as possible. Form No 193 for Jan. '86 & Statement of Local purchases of Silver from 16th to 31st Jan, — also Statement showing amt. delivered in Jan. upon Purchase made by Department.
4	2394	3	Telegram made Official. "Was Silver purchased of 4th Nat Bk by Department, Dec. 18th all delivered? If so, some appears to be omitted in your return of Dep' Purchases on Form. 193.
4	2395	3	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
5	2398	4	List of members of Assay Commission. 1886.
6	2399	5	Notification of Purchase of Silver.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
6	2400	5	Directs that the Gold coinage executed during the month of February be of the denomination of 1/2 Eagles & 1/3 Eagles.
6	2401	5	Number of S.S.Ds to be coined at Phila. Mint during February, is hereby fixed at 1.700.000 Pieces -
6	2402	5	Ack'g receipt of Bullion account for quarter ending Dec. 31/85
6	2404	5	Blank forms for official use have been mailed you this day. Memos for Gold Bullion & other Blanks -
8	2406	5	Returns for correction & to be immediately reforwarded. Form. No. 125 for Sept. Oct. & Dec. 1885.
8	2408	6	Transmits Assayers Report upon special assay coins taken from first & two subsequent deliveries in each week at the Mint during Dec. 1885 & forwarded for test.
9	2410	6	Encloses tables which have been printed as advance sheets of the Annual Report on the Production of the Precious Metals for 1885, in the hope that they may subserve immediate purpose.
9	2411	8	Recd Statements of Gold & Silver of Domestic Production & Deposits & Purchases for month of Jan. 1886,
10	2413	9	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
10	2415	8	Transfer to be made from Bull. Fund of U.S. Assay Office at N.Y. to Mint at Phila, of the sum of $58.781.80 - payable in 60.493.32 ounces of S.S. Bullion, to be incorporated in Supts a/c of Silver Purchased for coinage of S.S.Ds.
10	2416	9	As to requisition for books & Blank forms. Jan. 12. asks that Bureau be furnished with sample leaves of the 5d five quire & two four quire books, also sample leaf for two doz. Time Books.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
11	2417	10	Has requested Sec. of Treasy to advance $8.000 from approp for coinage of S. S. Ds, to meet expenses of Mint during current month, in connection with that coinage.
11	2418	10	Approved Requisition for Funds to meet expenses of Mint during Feby 1886. — $32.000.
13	2426	12	Authorises purchase of Blank forms & Books for Mint, to be paid for from contingent fund.
13	2427	12	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
15	2428	13	Approving Bill for Stationery for Fiscal Year 1886.
15	2429	13	Encloses duplicate vouchers for traveling Expenses of Assay Commission of 1886. — Receipted roll cannot be returned at once owing to Mr McCreary's absence. H. E. Spackman
16	2431	15	Says if Supt will send duplicate will have it signed by Mr McCreary. H. E. Spackman.
17	2433	16	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
17	2436	16	Ackg receipt of Ordinary Refining S. S. Dollar coinage & Storage a/c. for month ending 31st Jan. /86
17	2437	16	a Transfer to be made from Bullion Fund of U. S. A Office. N. Y. to Phila Mint of $57.528.99. — payable in 59.204.03 ounces of S. S. Bullion.
18	2438	17	Recd Supt's letter of 15th enclosing $20.25 for traveling Exp's H. E. Spackman.
18	2439	16	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
19	2441	18	Says the following amts will be transferred from Bul. Fund of Mints at San Francisco, Carson & N.O. — to the Mint at Phila same being value of coins reserved during 1885, & forwarded for Test at Annual Assay. San Francisco — Gold $22.020 — Silver 757.30; Carson — 220 — 114.; N. O. — 4.593

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
19	2442	17	Will thank Supt, when reporting on Mondays & Thursdays the amt of Silver on hand and delivered to state hereafter the cost, as well as the number of ounces delivered during the month.
20	2449	19	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
23	2450	20	Appd & referred Ordinary, Refining, & S.S. Ds & Storage a/c. for Dec. 1885.
24	2458	23	In examining Ordinary Eq. Acct, a C.D. is noticed attached to Bills for "Fire & Furnace Mills & Empty Barrels." to the effect that they are "correct as to contract price." Asks Supt to forward copies of such contracts for the information of the Bureau.
24	2458½	23	A box containing two Bars, one of Gold weighing 36.5.870 ozs. & the other of Silver, weighing 145.710 ozs; the resulting mass of coin sent this Bureau for special tests is forwarded to Supt this day. — Please return coinage value, no deduction & no charge to be imposed & Assayer to report to the one ten thousandth.
25	2460	24	Undesirability of having vouchers made out in part by dealers & figures afterwards filled in by Employes of the Mint — As for Voucher 601. Richard Gilpin, for services as attendant of Electric Light, asks why same should not have been paid by Electric Light Co.
25	2461	24	Sends forms. Nos 60. 61. 61½. of Dep's & Purchases of Dep's of Domestic Production & of Bars manufac'd — All similar forms now in use are to be destroyed & these Forms to be substituted Wishes Supt to prepare & forward a Statement on each of these Forms for Year ending Dec 31/85

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
25	2462	24	Transmits his a/c for traveling expenses to Phila for Assay Com.
26	2462½	25	Relative to $1936 due the U.S. in A. Loudon Snowden's acct. Missing Bars
26	2464	18	Calls attention of disbursing Officers to Sec. 3709 of Revised Statutes.
26	2464½	25	Relative to the 3. missing Bars
26	2465	25	Returns Memo. No 264. of Gold Bul. recd by Supt from Assay Off. Charlotte N.C. — Calculations of value of same being incorrect, wishes Statement to be examined & proper corrections to be made.
26	2466	24	Returns Dep. receipt Roll of certain members of Assay Com. of 1886 for signature of Hon. J. B. McCreary now added thereto.
27	2467	26	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
27	2468	26	Telegram made Official — "Will be in Wash. Monday & Tuesday. — in Phila on Wednesday with reference to Congressional resolution.
27	2470	25	Supt will inform the M & R of the Phila Mint that he is responsible for the Bullion amt of the missing Bars, & that he must procure & deposit with Supt 1980.12 ounces, standard Silver — upon receiving same Supt will give Mr Snowden a receipt for $1936.62 as value of 1980.12 ozs. S. S. recd from J. C. Booth. M & R in settlement of his acct of June 30/85

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
1	2471	27	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
1	2472	27	Has rec'd $815.28. in return for Bull. forwarded to Supt by Assayer of Bureau. – It appears that the value of the Silver was calculated at the price Supt was authorized to pay for small Lots, $1.01½ per ounce fine. Please return to Assayer the difference between the rate allowed & the coin value of the Silver Bullion.
1	2472½	27	Says the number of Standard Dollars to be coined at Mint during March is $1.700.000.
2	2474	1	Calls Supt's attention to errors in Parting Charges, quarter ending Dec. 31. 1885.
2	2475	1	Transmit Form 193 for February as soon as possible.
3	2477	2	Blank Forms for Official use mailed this day. 100 coiners Medal a/c Blanks. 200 Orders for Proof Sets.
3	2478	2	Rec'd coins reserved at Phila Mint during the month of February for Special assay.
3	2479	2	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
4	2481	3	Says there is no objection to Supt useing any title that he may wish for the Officers of his mint, but it is important they should be borne on the pay rolls under the classification of the Mint Laws & regulations.
4	2482	3	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
4	2483	3	Approved. Supts proposed Repairs to Amalgating Machine.
4	2484	3	Approved Contracts. – with Mrs Annie Black. T & T Mitts. L. McDonald & Co. Empty Barrels. Jessup & Moore Paper Co. White rags. Adam H Warthman. Lard Jos. Esherick Jr. Mount Farm Oil

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
4	2485	3	Encloses Draft No. 22681 for $168 being value of coins forwarded by Supt during six months ending Dec. 31. 1885. Please ack. & say if amt agrees with charges in Supts books.
4	2486	3	Says that "Instructions & Regulations of Mint Bureau" do not authorize the employment & payment of a Substitute for an Employee while absent.
5	2488	4	Asks Supt to inform him how he arrives at the charge of $79.34 as the Proper Parting charge on Dep. No. 1931.
5	2489	4	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
5	2490	4	Notice of request for Bull. Fund by Transfer. $1.000.000.
6	2494	5	Blank forms for official use mailed this day. 100 Coiners Medal acct Gold. 500. Weigh Clerk's orders for Gold Bars.
6	2495	5	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
6	2496	5	Directs that the Gold coinage executed at Phila Mint for Mch. be. 2/3 in 1/2 Eagles, - 1/3 in Eagles.
8	2500	6	C.D. No 6.576. for 1.44 acct of Sale of Old Material recd & forwarded.
8	2501	6	Has requested Messrs Callahan & Co to send "Postal Guide" to Supt for one year.
8	2502	6	In regard to certificates required by recent Circular of 1st Auditor & says they will in no way interfere with Supts present system of Purchase Forms will be mailed.
8	2503	6	Is surprised that the error of $79.34 on Deposit No. 1931 should have been insisted upon as correct. The charge imposed was 96 cts less than Amt required by regulation, which shortage will stand in Supts Acct.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
8	2504	6	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
8	2505	6	H. H. Vandusen's acct $28.00 for Till, rec'd & transmitted to Supt of Mint at San Fran. Co. with instructions to remit amt on rec'pt thereof.
9	2507	8	Blank forms mailed today. 1000 Deleveries of Fine Gold Bars.
9	2508	8	Asks if Third regulation on Page 21-2 of Printed Instructions of 1881 is strictly complied with (as to extra labor & pay). If not, who is responsible Regulations enclosed.
9	2509	8	Asks to have sent him a List of the Banking Houses of Phila, with their addresses, which deposit or sell Bullion to Mint.
10	2570	9	Says as there is some doubt as to the solvency of the Sureties upon Bond of H. S. Cochran, weigh clerk, asks Supt to cause Mr Cochran to execute a new bond at once.
10	2571	9	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
10	2572	9	Trans' to be made from N. Y. Assay Office N. Y. of $100.460 10.- payable in 103.385. 14 ozs. S. S. Bullion for the coinage of S. Ds.
10	2573	9	Appg appointment of Lizzie A. Keating. Adjuster.
10	2574	9	Dropped from Off. Reg. Martin Killacky, Melter. resd
11	2575	10	Returns regulations for receiving Gold & Silver Deposits with changes. Supt is authorized to have a supply printed

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
11	2576	10	Sends $ 200 for returns in one dollar Gold Pieces.
11	2577	10	Blanks forms mailed this day. Storekeepers Ledger. 10,000 Memo's of Silver Bullion Purchases.
11	2578	10	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
11	2579	10	Stricken from Off. Register. the name of J. H. Oliver. Miscellaneous clerk in Phila. Mint.
11	2520	10	Appg appointment of Wm Kelly. Watchman.
11	2522	10	Appg appointment of Sallie V. Grimes. Helper.
11	2523	10	Appg appointment of Henry M. Lewis. Watchman.
11	2524	10	Appg Promotion of Joseph Sullivan. from Helper to Melter.
11	2525	10	Appg Promotion of Cornelius Callahan. from Helper to Melter.
11	2526	10	Appg Appointment of John Harrigan as Helper in M.R.
11	2527	10	Communication of 8th Inst has been recd, Enclosing Statement of Deposits & Purchases of Domestic Production & for each month of year 1885. — Did not intend to subject Supt to the trouble of making new Statements for each month, but on each form for Calendar year.
12	2528	11	Has sent today, 3000 Assayers Reports on Gold Bullion Deposited No. 39. A.
12	2529	11	Copy. Papers relating to using the elevator at the P.O. before 9. A.M. & after 3. P.M.
12	2530	11	Bullion acct for quarter ending Dec. 31/85, recd, examined & referred. Disallowances for over payment to be deducted. — Dep. No 1601 — 26 cts. Dep. No. 1931 — 90 cts.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
12	2531	11	$778.847.83. is to be deposited in Treas'y, being the net profits on the coinage of the Silver for quarter ending Dec. 31. /85 & Bullion Fund to be increased by that amt in Phila. Mint.
12	2532	11	Approved requisition for $31.000 to meet expenses for Mch. 1886.
12	2533	11	Has caused to be advanced 10.000 to meet, in part, the expenses of S. S. D. coinage during current month.
12	2534	11	Telegram made official. The matter of absence is within Supt's discretion. Chief Clerk in Supt's absence will be acting Supt.
13	2541½	11	Relative to Medals for Secretary Manning.
13	2542	12	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
13	2543	12	Rec'd C. D. no 6521. $23.46. Old material Sold.
13	2544	12	Rec'd C. D. no 6520. $0.96. Refining Charges.
13	2545	12	Appr'g Appointment of Alexander Muckle. clerk.
15	2547	13	Cause to be prepared & forwarded to mint at San Francisco the following coinage Dies for current year. 10. Half Eagles. Obverse — 10. Half Eagles. Reverse. 10 Eagles. Obverse. — 10 Eagles. Reverse.
15	2548	13	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
15	2549	13	Calls Supt's attention to the fact, that while the regulations require that Assayer shall insert the charges to which Deposits are subject, on his report, this requirement is one of regulation & not of law & is not intended to relieve Supt from the responsibility of seeing that correct charges are imposed.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
15	2530	13	Transmits 400 copies, each, of certificates which Department will hereafter require with Supts expense accounts.
16	2530½	15	An Ingot of Copper from Consolidated Queen Mining Co. has been forwarded. Have the same tested & report result
16	2531	15	Sends C.D.No 6522. $0.26. being on account of Boring & Refining Charges.
16	2532	15	Asks if Statement of Earnings & Expenditures for Quarter ended Dec. 31/85. does not need correction.
17	2536	16	Relative to signatures on certain Vouchers in Supt's Ordinary Expense account.
17	2537	16	Approving. Trans. & Appt of Geo. W. Gordon. Laborer as a Annealer. Coiners Dep.
17	2538	16	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
17	2539	16	Ack.g receipt of oath of office of Wm. Kelly. Watchman.
17	2540	16	Ack'g receipt of oath of office of S.Y. Grimes. Helper.
17	2541	16	Ack'g receipt of oath of office of L. A. Keating. Adjuster.
17	2542	16	Ack'g receipt of oath of office of Jno Harrigan. Helper.
17	2543	16	Returns Supts appt. Letter in the case of James Burns. Watch
18	2545	17	Supt is authorized to purchase a "Storekeepers Ledger" in Phila.
18	2546	17	Relative to improved Arms. Make a request for two Gatling Guns.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
18	2567	17	Transmits Assayers Report upon Special Assay Coins Jan/86
18	2568	17	Recd. Corrected Statement of Earnings & Expenditures for Quarter ending Dec 31st 1885.
18	2569	17	Encloses additional Table of Distances
18	2570	17	Says his Letter was not intended to call in question the right of Supt to hold any individual responsible for an error, but that Assay Dep. is not primarily responsible for errors of the kind. (Proper charges on Deposits).
18	2571	17	Blank forms mailed. 1000 Leaves of Absence. 1000 Silver coin deliveries to Supt.
18	2572	17	Appg removal of E. B. Cobb. Melter.
18	2573	17	Ackg receipt of oath of office of Alex. Muckle. Clerk.
18	2574	17	Appg appointment of Hugh Bonner. Watchman.
19	2576	18	Relative to making the Pay rolls of adjusters in the same way that the rolls of other employees are made.
19	2577	18	Appg appointment of Chas. F. Falls. Laborer.
19	2578	18.	Approved. Medal fund for Dec 31st/85.
20	2579	19	Appg appointment of Mrs Phoebe E. Gibbons. Adjuster.
20	2580	19	Notification of the Purchase of silver.
20	2581	19	The name of Miss Lizzie McCollough has been dropped from Official Register.
20	2582	19	Joseph Hilferty. appointment Approved. as annealer.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
20	2583	19	Approved Ordinary refining S. S. Dollar & S. S. Dollar Storage acct for Jan. 1886.
20	2584	19	Ack'g receipt of ordinary refining S. S. Dollar & S. S. Dollar acct for Feby 1886.
20	2585	19	Amt $47.25 for one Gold Life Saving Medal will be forwarded
20	2586	19	Asks the contract price of rings, dipping cups & 2 from Jno. A. Taylor.
22	2588	21	Statements last rendered, upon Deposits & Purchases Domestic Production & Bars manufactured, disagree with those rendered from month to month and are returned to have new & correct ones made. Remarks.
22	2589	21	Blank forms mailed. 1. Record of Bullion Fund acct. 3000 Assayer's Silver Ingot Memos 250 Melt Clerk's Statements.
23	2590	22	Blank forms mailed. 1000 Leaves of Absence. 500 Orders for Storekeeper. 500 Orders for Stationer.
23	2591	22	Transfer to be made from U. S. Assay. N. Y. of $123.369.41. for Coinage of Silver Dollars.
23	2591	22	Desire in regard to pay rolls of Adjusters, is that the they shall be rendered in the same way that the rolls of other Employees are now rendered.
23.	2593	22	Approved & referred Bill for Gold Life Saving Medal.
24	2594	23	Notification of Purchase of Silver.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
24	2595	23	Blank forms mailed. 200 Medal fund vouchers. 500 Informal Memos. of Silver Purchases.
25	2598	24	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
25	2599	24	Recd. Statement of fine Gold Bars exchanged for Gold coin in Feby.
25	2600	24	Transmits Invoice of Silver Bars in payment of J.O. from Bullion Fund of U.S. Assay Office N.Y. to Phila Mint. — $53.361.58.
26	2603	25	Ackg receipt of oath of office of Chas. F Falls Laborer.
26	2604	25	Ackg receipt of oath of office of Hugh Bonner. Watchman.
26	2605	25	Notice of request for increase of Bull. Fund, $1.000.000.
27	2607	26	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
27	2608	26	Circular. Transaction of Business by correspondence.
27	2609	26	Ackg receipt of oath of office of Mrs Phoebe E. Gibbons. Adjuster
29	2610	28	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
30	2616	29	Blank forms mailed. 500 Assayers Silver Ingot Memos 2500 Memos of Silver Bullion Deposits
31	2618	30	Notification of Purchase of Silver.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
2	2623	1	$1.700.000 S.D.s to be coined during Apr. 1886.
2	2624½	1	Asks amt of S.Ds in vaults at P.O. and also vaults at Mint
3	2625½	2	Relative to a pair of assay rolls costing $200 purchased from Orr and Ress machine Co for Denver Mint & returned to that Co. through Quarter-Masters Dep.—as they required hand rolls not power.
3	2626	2	Notification of the Purchase of Silver.
3	2627	2	Blank forms sent today. 500. Invitations for Proposals for Sale of Sweeps.
3	2628	2	Received coins for Special Assay. Mch. 1886.
3	2629	Mch 31.	Wishes Supt to send his Bullion Acct for Quarter ending Mch 31. by close of month of April or Sooner.
3	2630	2	Statement of assays of Jewelry, Bullion, Plate and receipts referred to Secy of Treasury.
3	2631	2	Recd Statements of Deposits & Purchases of Domestic Production & Silver Bars. for 1885.
3	2632	2	Rec'd & referred, Statement of Sale of old material.
3	2633	2	Rec'd C. D. $269.50. M. C's coinage profits.
3	2634	2	Rec'd C. D. $52.00. Assay of Bullion.
3	2635	2	Rec'd. C D. $52.89. Alloy charges.
3	2636	2	Rec'd. C. D. $4.00. Old material sold.
3	2637	2	Rec'd C D $3.757.50. Parting & Refining charges.
3	2638	2	Coinage for April will be. 1/3. Eagles. 2/3. half Eagles

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
5	2641	2	Appg appointment of Frank L. Reber. Deposit Melter.
5	2642	2	Appg appointment of Jno L. Phillipi. Helper
5	2643	2	Name of Mary C. Woodville, designed, dropped from Register.
5	2644	2	Asks if "James Bushell" in Supts letter of 31st, is the same whose appt as Laborer was submitted by Supt under name of "John" Bushell, on 9th of Sept last.
5	2645	2	Name of Hugo Schauer, resigned, is dropped from Off. Register.
5	2646	3	Asks dimensions of vault under Parr & other vaults not Burglar Proof.
6	2650	5	Acknowledges receipt of Medal Fund acct of 31st Mch.
6	2651	2	Appg promotion of Wm Conn. fr. "Coining room" to "Counter".
6	2652	2	Appg. transfer of Frank Hendricks. a Roller in Coiners Dep.
6	2653	2	Appg promotion of Jas. Ruxebler. fr. Helper to Melter.
6	2654	2	Appg appointment of Thomas Hearn. Laborer.
6	2655	2	Appg promotion of Jas. C. Daswald. fr. "Roller to Coining room.
6	2656	2	Appg appointment of Jno H. Rogers, as "Helper".
6	2657	2	Appg appointment of Geo. H. McNally. as "Laborer"
6	2658	2	Appg appointment of Jos. F. Goodfellow as "Laborer".
6	2659	2	Appg appointment of Miss Elisabeth Moore as Adjuster.
6	2660	2	Appg promotion of Jno Lundy fr. "Helper to Melter".
6	2661	2	Appg transfer of Jno. Bushell. as "Helper".
6	2662	2	Appg appointment of Wm Davidson. as "Helper".
6	2663	2	Appg. appointment of Mathew Campbell. as "Helper"
6	2664	2	Appg appointment of Stephen D. Anderson as "Laborer".
6	2665	2	Appg transfer of "Jas Kennedy. as "Cutter". If above named person & "Jno Kennedy" appt by you under date Sept 9th, are not the same, notify the Bureau.
6	2666	2	Appg. removal of H. B. Hough. "Cutter".
6	2667	2	Appg removal of Jos Brown. Helper.
6	2668	2	Appg removal of Jas. Beale. Counter.
6	2669	3	Appg promotion of Geo. Eckerick. Genl Dep.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
6	2670	5	E. O. Leach. In regard to the consumption of Gold & Silver Bars in the Industrial Arts.
7	2670½	6	Relative to making vault No. 6. Burglar Proof.
7	2671	6	Examined & referred Medal Fund acct for Mch. 31/86.
7	2671½	6	Relative to making vault No. 6. Burglar Proof.
8	2675	7	Telegram made official. Purchased of Colgate & Co. 50,000 Ounces at 102.35.
8	2676	7	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
8	2677	7	Sends two Dozen Circulars of Estimates of Foreign Coin of Jan. 1. 1886.
8	2678	7	Ack'g. Oath of Office of Geo. Eskerick. Warrant Clerk.
8	2679½	7	Appg. Wm Conn. Increase of compensation.
8	2680	7	E. O. Leach. Asks value of the Gold & Silver Bars separately, furnished by Mint to persons or firms for use in the industrial arts.
9	2680½	8	Personal. Says he has recd Supts letter advising of the completion of medals for Secy of Treas. & wishes them sent to Bureau, also, wishes a set of same medals for himself & bill for same.
9	2681	8	Appg removal of H. F. Wilson. Helper.
9	2682	8	Appg removal of Chas. G. Moore. Melter.
9	2683	8	Appg removal of R. L. Elliot. Laborer.
9	2684	8	Appg. removal of Jacob F. Mulp. Helper.
9	2685	8	Ack'g official Oaths of. M. H. Campbell. Helper. Elizabeth Moore. Adjuster. Wm Davidson. Helper

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
9	2685	9	Jno. K. Rodgers. Helper J. L. Reber. Deposit Melter Stephen D. Anderson. Laborer. Jos. A. Goodfellow. Laborer Thomas Heaon. Laborer.
10	2688	9	Telegram made official. Asks if requisition for Gatling Guns has been filled.
10	2689	9	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
10	2690	9	Concerning Vault No. 6.
12	2692	10	Appg appointment of Chas. E. Blummer a clerk.
12	2693	10	Appg appointment of Wm. H. Landell as Register of Warrants.
12	2694	10	Has requested Sec. of Treasy to cause to be advanced $1000 to meet expenses of the refinery for Apr. 1886.
12	2695	10	Appd requisition to meet expenses for Apr. 1886.
12	2696	10	Supts Bond as Supt of mint at Phila, is dated Feby 8. 1886, & this date is written in last requisition for funds as requested.
12	2697	10	Has requested Secy of Treasy to cause to be advanced $10.000 to meet in part expenses of S. D. coinage for current month.
12	2698	Mch 30	Relative to Medal awarded, but not recd, by Messrs Gaskell Deacon & Co. Lancashire. Eng. Wishes any information Supt may have & encloses original communications.
13	2701½	12.	Relative to Copper from Copper Queen Mining Co
13	2702	12	Recd Statement of Earnings & Expenditures for Quarter ending Mch 31. 1886.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
13	2703	12	Transmits Assayer's Report upon Special Assay coins for Feby 1886.
13	2704	12	Approves two additional Attendants for Cabinet.
13	2705	12	Appg appt of Edward S. Lacey. Cleaner.
13	2706	12	Appg appt of John Holland. Day Fireman.
14	2707	13	Recd Statement of Deposits & Purchases of Gold & Silver of Domestic Ino. & Bars (manufactured for March. 1886.
14	2708	13	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
14	2709	13	Letter of 12th recd. Wishes special information about a Medal awarded to. Messrs Haskell, Deacon & Co. Lancaster. England. Asks if a Duplicate could be had from Stock on hand, or by Stocking one, and what the cost would be in either case.
14	2710	13	Appg removal of Peter Hopkins. Laborer
14	2711	13	Appg removal of Ino. Boadia. Laborer.
14	2712	13	Appg transfer & appt of Saml. C. Deswald to. Cutter
14	2713	13	Appg transfer & appt of Ino. Mc Cormick to coining room.
14	2714	13	Appg transfer & appt of Ino. Mc. Intire to annealer.
15	2716	13	Has caused requisition to be made for for registers of Deposits for Mint Clerk in Charge of Stationery & Clerk should give ample time for the printing & manufacture of Blanks and books when required.
15	2717	13	Telegram made official Will be at the Mint tomorrow at half past two.
15	2718	13	Appg removal of Wm R. Brinton. Cleaner
16	2719	13	Acknowledges Recupt of Ordinary Coinage & Storage of Std. Sil. Doll. accts, with Abstracts & Vouchers.
16	2720	14	Relative to proposals by Public Advertisement for Supplies required during Fiscal year ending June 30. '87
16	2721	14	Ackg Recupt of oath of Office. of Ino. J. Holland Jr. Day Fireman
16	2722	15	Ackg Recupt of oath of office of Ino. R. Phillipi. Helper.
16	2723	15	Ackg " " " " of Edward Lacy. Cleaner
17	2727	16	Notification of the purchase of Silver.
17	2728	16.	Form mailed. One general Ledger.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
17	2729	16	Sends C. D. no. 6553. $500. Medal Profits.
17	2730	16	Examined & referred & App'd, Ordinary S. S. Doll. coinage & Storage accts for month ending Feby 28. 1886.
17	2731	16	Please cause enclosures of Official Letters to be Briefed before transmission & other forms to be folded as indicated by printed Briefs.
17	2732	16	Ackg receipt of oath of Office. Chas. E. Blummer. Mis'Clerk.
17	2733	16	Rec'd memo. 507 on acct. of Bull. Shipment. No. 19. Wishes separate memo. showing gross & net values and charges (of any) of the "Sweeps & Change & Charges" Bars contained in last Shipment.
19	2734	17	Supt's views being correct as to Centennial Medal for Messrs Gaskill & T. Lancashire. Eng, there will be no further inquiry.
19.	2735	17	Encloses two checks for $2.40 each, for copies of medals for Sec' of Treas & himself.
20	2736	19	Sends C. D. no. 6554. $4.40. Old material Sold.
20	2737	19	Sends C. D. no 6555. $6.80. Old material.
20	2738	19	Supt is authorized to accept Messrs Balbeck & Sons Bid for 80. Barrels M & R. Sweeps.
21	2739	20	In reply to Letter of 10. inst says the amt of Silver purchased from J & W. Seligman should be 30.000. instead of 35.000 Ounces.
21	2740	20	Ackg receipt of oath of Office of Geo. A. McNally. Laborer.
21	2741	20	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
21	2742	20	Asks if following purchases in Supt's Statement of Silver purchases fr. Mch 30" to Apr 15" will be in Supt's first or second qrs acct.

Mch. 30	W. S. Englehart	71.39.	Ounces.
"	J. & W. Seligman.	3.050.54	"
"	H. B. Arrison	191.26	"
Mch 31"	Isaac Dixon.	153.81	

1886. April.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
22	2745	21	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
24	2748	23	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
24	2749	23	Notice of request for increase of Bullion Fund. $1.000.000
24	2750	23	Acknow'g letter of 20th. — Supt is authorized to coin $.10.000 in quarter Eagles. — Further coinage of Gold Dollars is not deemed advisable.
24	2751	22	Has requested transfer to be made from U.S. Assay. N.Y. to Mint. $99.452.56. for S.S. Doll. coinage.
26	2756	24	Appg appt of Geo. R. Guss. Asst in Cabinet. No further increase of force will be considered at present
26	2757	24	Telegram made Official Receive 12.000 Ounces from Zimmerman & Forshay at 701.70.
26	2758	24	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
27	2760	24	Wishes Supt to find a place in Assay Dep. for Mr Cabell Whitehead. Amherst. Va.
28	2762	27	Ack'g receipt of Bullion acct for Quarter ending Mch 31. 1886.
28	2763	27	Sends Blank Forms. 25 Blank Bonds. No. 57. B.
28	2764	27	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
28	2765	27	Appg appt of Ella. D. Miller. Stenog. Adjuster.
28	2766	27	Name of Miss Bessie Walsh, dropped from Off. Register
28	2767	27	Appg transfer & appt of Chas. E. Knight. Melter.
29	2768	28	Suggests that Mr Cabell Whitehead be appointed a temporary Asst in the M & R. Department, for a period of two months, at a Compensation of $2.50 per day.

1886. April.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
29	2769	28	Messrs Handy & Cronise acceptance of Departments offer for Purchase of Silver did not reach the Bureau until after Business hours, & &c, & consequently was not included in yesterdays Letter of advice.
29	2770	28	Notification of Purchase of Silver.
29	2771	28	Receive 100.000 Ounces from Handy & Cronise at 101. 65. cents per ounce fine.
29	2772	27	Circular Relative to the payments of Vouchers for Services from Appropriations for Contingent Expenses

1883, April, May, 1884, Jany, Apl

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl 18	417	Apl 17	H. F. French, Acting Secretary. Returns 22 Copying Letter press books, that had been sent back. They are the same as used in the Departments. Must employes dont know to use them.
May 16	517	May 10	Chas. J. Folger Secretary. (Circular) To provide suitable rooms for Examinations under the Civil Service Rules.
25	550	24	A. L. Sturtevant, Chf. Div. of Stating &c. Wants Report of Official Postage Stamps for March and April /83.
1884 Jany 5	23	Jany 3	H. F. French, Asst Sec'y. Wants Report on Safes, to the Supervising Architect. Form enclosed.
30	105	26	(Same) Furnish beam, Geo. H. Smith, clerical aid in Examining Philo Sub-Treasy.
Apl 17	359	Apl 16	(Same) Wants diagram of Each floor of the Mint, called for March 10/84.

1884 May - Nov - 1885

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 23	452	May 22	C E Coon Asst Secretary requests the Supt to forward the duplicates of missing C/Is #5962. 5963. retaining copies thereof for his files
Nov 28	1000	Nov 25	H F French Asst Secty In reference to bills of the Phila Press, Evening Telegraph for Advertising for proposals for Copper.
June 1885 22	539	26	William Windom Instructions Relative to bringing
9	2059	my	Mouldrow November First Asst Secty Regarding the 10 Census Report sent to U.S. Mint.

1885 June – July 1886. February

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
10	502	9	Wickes sketch of riddle used for cleaning Coin.
July 5	564	22	Charges against Laurence Carey Gate Keeper at Mint.
			August
5	714½	4	E. B. Daskam. acting Chief clerk. Encloses return Blanks for Ordnance & Ordnance Stores, which please fill up, for Quarter ending June 30. 1885 (2 communications upon Arms en Mint enclosed.)
1886.			E. B. Youmans. Chief Clerk
Feb. 12	2423	11	Wants date of Supt's receiving Fire arms. etc.

1886. March.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
12	2535	11	Requisition has been made to Sec. of War. for five Arms & Chief of Ordnance will deliver you 6 old Rifles & Ammunition on delivery of new supplies.
16	2533	15	Relative to Elevator at P.O.
			April.
14	2715	13	List of Collectors of Customs acting as Superintendents of Lights.

1883, March

	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch		Mch	
3	225	2	Sends dp $50,600. for March Expenses.
5	231	3	Forwards C/D $15,000. rec'd, as a Transfer of Funds.
7	241	6	Sends T. O. 11187, Charlotte Gold.
17	279	16	Sends T. O. 11191, Denver Gold.
20	294	19	Sends T. O. 11198 for $1,000, in 5¢ pcs by registered mail, to the Asst Treas U.S. at San Francisco. Cal.
20	295	19	Forwards $4,283.50 uncurrent Silver for recoinage.
20	296	19	Sends T. O. 11199, Charlotte Gold
21	301	20	Forwards $21,141.50 in light weight Gold Coin; bullion value to be deposited with Asst Treas U.S. at Phila, as a Transfer of Funds.
21	305	20	Forwards $35,000. in uncurrent Gold for Recoinage.
22	306	22	(Tel) Anticipate S. L. 22447 $5,000. S.S.d. to 3d N. Bk. Dayton, O.
24	316	24	(Tel) S. L. # 3686, & 87 correct for first Saint Paul.
26	319	26	(Tel) Anticipate T. O. 110211, $25,000. S.S.d. to Ex. Nat Bank, Norfolk, Va.

1883, March, April,

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch		Mch	
27	322	26	Sends T.O. 11210, Charlotte gold.
Apl		Apl	
4	351	3	Sends T.O. 11217, Charlotte gold
4	350½	3	Forwards $2788.19 Minor Coins on T.O. #11219.
6	362	5	Sends dft $44,300. Apl expenses
11	379	10	Sends T.O. 11228, Charlotte gold.
12	381	12	(Tel) Would like $100. of the old issue. Sends check to day.
12	382	12	(Tel) Send part 5 of present issue. Bale new, when ready.
16	402	14	Sends T.O. 11231, Denver Gold
16	403	14	Sends T.O. 11235, Charlotte gold
18	416	17	Sends T. Chk. $2.89 to cover shortage in Minor Coins sent. Spurious coins to be returned, with bag &c
21	431	20	Sends dup. C/D. for $290.63 rec'd as a Transfer of Funds.
21	432	21	(Tel) Antic. S.L. 22760 - 5,000 S.S.d. to 3d N. Bk. Dayton, O.
23	437	21	To change Letters 3926, & 3927 to 3726 & 3727.
26	445	25	Sends dft $10,000. a/c. Wages of Workmen, (additional)

1883, April, May

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl 26	446	Apl 25	Sends T. O. 11253, Charlotte Gold.
28	454	27	Sends T. O. 11254, Charlotte Gold
May 7	482	May 5	Sends dupt C/D. for $251.68 received as a Transfer of Funds.
11	503	10	Sends dupt C/D. for $325.35 rec'd as a Transfer of Funds.
14	508	12	Sends dft for $39,800. for May expenses.
12	509	11	Sends T.O. 11279, Charlotte Gold.
16	518	15	Sends T.O. 11284, do. do.
16	519	15	Sends T.O. 11285, Reno "
25	549	24	Sends T.O's 11293, 11294, Charlotte Gold.
26	556	25	New Directions for making up the Daily Statement of the Bullion Fund.
28	562	26	Sends T.O. 11305, Reno Gold.
28	563	28	(Tel) S. L. 23147 Transfer to Oakland Nat. Bk. Illinois.
29	566	28	Sends dupt. C/D. for $5,000. rec'd as a Transfer of Funds
31	572	29	Must have Daily Statement of B. T. Except Assignments. Can be furnished as well now as before.

1883, May, June,

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 31	573	May 29	Forwards T. O. 11308, & Dup. C/D. for $371,110.98 Silver Dollar Profits.
31	574	29	Forwards T. O. 11310, & Dup. C/D. for $387,140.24 Silver Dollar Profits.
June 5	598	June 4	Sends dup. C/Ds #28672, '73, Silver Dollar Profits in place of Nos. 7166 & 7172.
7	609	6	Sends dup. C/D. for $2,240.14 recd on Ap. tr. of funds.
9	622	8	Sends T. O. 11321 Charlotte Gold
12	631	11	Sends T. O. 11327, do do
12	632½		Forwards $3.389.40 in Silver Coin
12	632	11	Sends dft for June Expenses.
14	646	13	Sends T. O. 11339, Denver Gold.
18	658	16	Mails Circulars - 200 of No. 121, and 100 of No. 18.
21	668	20	Sends dft $900. for Refinery
22	677	21	Returns for modification, Transcript of Treas's Minor Coinage Redemption a/c ended June 16/83 No "overs" to be reported, until the entire bal. is transferred for recoinage.
23	679	22	Sends T. O. 11356, $7,000. to reimburse Metal fund a/c

1883, June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June 25	684	June 23	Again returns transcript of Minor Coinage Redemption a/c, period ended June 16, for correction of $20. error, as stated.
25	685	23	Reports no returns rec'd for $10.65 mutilated coin from P. C. Hill, Altus, A.K. erroneously given as Altar, A.K.
25	686	23	Sends drop C/D for $620.62 rec'd as a Transfer of Funds.
26	688	25	Sends T.O. 11359, Charlotte Gold
July 2	711	June 30	Sends drop C/D $216.09 loss on Recoinage of Minor Coins.
10	739	9	Sends drop C/D. $991.40 rec'd as a Transfer of Funds.
11	747	10	Sends dft $60,500. for July Expenses.
20	772	19	Verifying Tel. "S. L." #23981, should be New Canaan, Conn.
20	773	19	Sends T.O's #11384, 11385, Charlotte Gold
20	774	19	E. O. Graves Ass't Treas. Wash. D.C. No letter of advice from Ass't Treas at Phila, covering shipment of S.S.D's per his Certif. #7619, has been rec'd. Certif. #7619, Salem N.J. rec'd and charged by you to my Bullion Fund A/c, July 14.

1883, July, Aug

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
July 25	796	July 24	(E.O.G.) Sends T.O. 11393, Charlotte Gold.
26	799	25	(E.O.G.) Forwards List of Deposits with Asst Treas. at Phila, July 12, for S.S. d's shipped by the Mint, July 13/83.
~~27~~	~~800~~	~~26~~	~~Forwards set of Std Weights from the S. F. Mint, to be adjusted and returned.~~
Aug 2	809	Aug 1	Sends T.O. 11402, Charlotte Gold
4	835	4	(Tel) Correct amt of Letter 3917, is $1,000.—
7	840	6	Sack of coin from N. B. Cole, Coleridge, Ala, was receipted for by Supt, per L. B. S.
11	855	10	Sends dft for August Expenses. $41,000.
11	856	10	Sends T.O. 11420, Charlotte Gold.
11	857	10	Sends T.O. 11421, St. Louis gold
11	858	10	Sends T.O. 11422, Denver gold
14	864	13	Sends T.O. 11423, Denver gold
14	865	13	Sends T.O. 11424, Denver gold.
15	866	14	Requests investigation of complaints of Excessive Express charges on S.S. d's

1883, August, Sept.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Aug 21	879	Aug 20	Sends T. O. 11436, Charlotte gold
22	881	21	Silver Letters, 20th inst. should be numbered 24636 to 24658.
23	886	22	Express charges on Silver Coin to Somerset, Pa. referred to Adams Agent in the Treasy Dept.
25	892	24	Sends T. O. 11447, Charlotte gold
27	894	25	Sends $114.90 mutilated and foreign coin, for returns &c
30	899	29	If not too late ship $300. in Quarters, & $200. in Dimes, to Farmers Nat. Bank, Malone, N.Y. on S. L. No. 3989.
Sept 12	935	Sept 12	(Tel.) Cooperstown, Dak. is correct. See Supplemental Postal Guide for July.
12	936	12	(Tel) Antic. S. L. 25300, p. 5,000. S.S. dis to Third Nat Bk. Dayton, O.
12	937	11	Sends T. O. 11472, Charlotte Gold.
14	947	13	Sends dft. p. $36,900. Sept Expenses.
17	956	17	(Tel) Antic. G. L. 187, $100,000, Gold to Manf'rs Nat. Bk. Phila.
18	958	17	Sends T. O. 11484, Denver Gold

1883, Sept, Oct

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Sept 24	977	Sept 22	Sends T.O. 11500. Charlotte Gold
24	978	22	Has directed $500. in Dimes - mis-directed to Laidlaw & Co. N.Y. to be sent to their proper destination - the Bank of Santa Clara County Cal.
25	983	25	(3 Tels.) Antic. G.L. 188, $100,000, in Gold, to Manuf's Nat Bk Phila.
26	987	26	(Tel) Antic. G.L. 189, $75,000. Gold to Manuf's N. Bk. Phila
Oct 1	992	Oct 1	(Tel) Antic. G.L. 194 $50,000. Gold coin to Manuf's N. Bk. Phila
1	993	Sept 29	(E.O.G.) Sends T.O. 11522 $3,555.55 Charlotte Gold
2	994	Oct 1	Sends T.O. 11525, & dup. C/D for $422,757.94 S.S.D. profits.
5	1,006	4	Forwards Silver Shipment Circulars. Express charges no longer prepaid on Sub. Silver coin.
6	1,010	6	(Tel) Antic. G.L. 191, $50,000. Gold to Manuf's Nat Bk Phila.
8	1014	6	Explaining Silver Shipment Circulars.
9	1021	8	Sends T.O. 11545, Charlotte Gold.

1883, Actates, Nov

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Oct		Oct.	
12	1028	12	(Tel) Antic. S. L. 26184, 5,000, S.S.D. to 3rd Nat Bk, Dayton, O.
16	1035	15	Refund requested of Extra Express charge on S.S.Ds to First Nat'l Bank, Romeo, Mich.
18	1039	18	(Tel) Antic. S. L. 26285 – 20,000, S.S.Ds to Phila Nat. Bank.
18	1040	17	Sends T. O. 11565, Denver Gold.
22	1043	20	Sends draft for Oct. Expts $38,600.
25	1061	24	Sends T. O. 11573, Charlotte Gold.
Nov		Nov	
10	1101	9	Missent Dimes to Los Angeles, Cal.
12	1103	10	Mails dft $50,800, Nov. Expenses.
13	1108	12	Sends T. O. 11599, Charlotte Gold
14	1113	13	Sends T. O. 11605, Denver Gold.
17	1131	16	Sends T. O. 11609, for $5,000, in Dimes by Registered Mail to the Asst Treas. U.S. at San Francisco, Cal
22	1149	21	Sends T. O. 11623, Charlotte Gold.
22	1150	21	Correct amt of Silver Letter 26780, & 26,785 [3 Telegrams filed herein]
27	1156	26	Sends T. O. 11634, Charlotte Gold

1883, November, Dec

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Nov. 27	1157	Nov 26	Sends T. C. 11635. St. Louis Gold.
Dec 3	1174	Dec 1	Do. do. 11647, Charlotte "
10	1194	8	Do. Off't $40,000. for Dec. Expenses.
12	1198	11	Do. T.C. 11680, Charlotte Gold
14	1204	13	Forwards $1745, in mutilated 1, 3, & 5 $ pcs. for exchange into 5 $ pcs. on T.C. 11684.
17	1212	15	Sends T.C. 11686, Denver Gold,
17	1213	15	Orders for Gold Coin may be filled in denominations nearest to those asked for
17	1214	15	Cannot undertake to judge of the discretion of the Asst Treas. at Cincinnati in rejecting mutilated mint coins.
18	1216	17	Dimes ordered not yet sold
20	1221	19	Discrepancy of $1. in Mint Janitor's Rept of Count of $1,745. mixed Coins sent by Treas. U.S. on T.C. #11684.
22	1227	21	Forwards $52. mutilated coin for Redemption for a/c W. H. Hagaman, Holden, Mo.
24	1230	22	Sends T.C. 11698, Charlotte Gold

1883, December, 1884, Jany, Feb.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Dec 24	1231	Dec 22	Sends T. O. 11699, Boise City, Gold.
1884			
Jany 4	17	Jany 3	Sends T. O. 11711, Charlotte Gold
10	44	9	Sends T. O. 11720, Charlotte Gold
11	46	10	Mails draft for January Expenses, $46,000.—
15	62	14	Sends T. O. 11726, Denver Gold
17	67	16	Sends T. O. 11729 $32,000. to be credited to Metal Fund Ofc
29	99	28	Sends T. O. 11749, Charlotte Gold
29	100	28	Sends T. O. 11750, Charlotte Gold
Feb 9	153	Feb 8	Sends dft $51,500 February Expenses.
11	156	9	Sends T. O. 11771, Charlotte Gold.
11	157	9	Sends T. O. 11772, St Louis Gold
11	158	9	Sends T. O. 11773, St Louis Gold
18	178	16	Sends T. O. 11787, St Louis Gold
20	191	19	Sends T. O. 11791, Denver Gold
21	194	20	Sends T. O. 11790 & disp. C/D. profits to Silver Dollar Coinage.
25	198	23	Sends T. O.'s Nos. 11802-3 & 4 amount of Annual Assay coins.

1884, Mch, Apl

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch		Feb	
1	212	29	Sends T. O. 11811, Charlotte Gold.
1	213	29 Mch	Sends T. O. 11812, Boise City Gold
12	247	11	Sends dft for $39,000. Mints Expenses.
12	248	11	Sends T. O. 11827, Charlotte Gold.
12	249	11	Sends T. O. 11828, St. Louis Gold.
20	269	19	Sends T. O. 11835, Denver Gold
26	278	25	Sends T. O. 11849, Charlotte Gold
31	287	29	T. O. for 1,000, Gold Dollars to the Asst Treas. at Phila to be settled. Agrees with the Supt that they should not be furnished in bags,
Apl		Apl	
2	295	1	Sends T. O. 11864 Denver Gold
4	309	3	Wants Report on the Loss on Recoinage of $8,425. mint Coins, transferred in December 1883, & Jany & Feby 1884 if they have been used.
8	320	7	Sends dft for $46,000. Assay Expenses
8	321	7	Sends T. O. 11879, Denver Gold.
10	332	9	Sends T. O. 11883 for $5,000. in ½'s & Dimes to the Carson Mint, by Registered mail.

1887 Apl, May, June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl		Apl	
12	341	11	Sends T. O. 11889, Charlotte Gold.
15	357	14	Sends T. O. 11890, Denver Gold.
24	376	23	Sends T. O. 11901, Charlotte Gold
24	377	23	Sends T. O. 11902, Charlotte Gold
25	383	24	Sends T. O. 11904, Charlotte Gold
29	391½	28	
30	393	29	Sends T. O. 11907, Denver Gold
May		May	
7	409	6	Sends T.O. 11912 St Louis Gold
7	410	6	Sends T O 11913 Charlotte Gold
7	411	6	Sends T O 11.914 Borsi City Gold
10	420	9	Sends T.O. 11.921. Charlotte Gold
14	428	13	Sends T.O. 11.930 Denver Gold
15	430	14	Sends by Express $1790. in Nickel Minor Coins per T.O. 11.931.
17	434	16	Sends draft for May expenses $39.500.
21	443	20	Sends check for $1.94. for silver and minor coins if not sufficient will send more
23	453	22	Sends T O [illegible] Charlotte Gold
June		May	[illegible]
2	468	31	Sends T.O. 11.967 Denver Gold
2	469	31	Sends T.O. 11,968 Charlotte Gold

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June 4	474	June 3	The return of 65¢ counterfeit Minor Coins sent in P.O. #11931, was not accompanied by the outside wrapper - to hold the Counties who sent the same responsible, it should always be done
4	475	8	Correction of J.L. #29,321, S.D.D. to Petersburg, Va. Saving and Ins Co.
14	504	13	Sends P.O. 11982 Charlotte Gold
14	505	13	Sends draft #25128. on Treasury Warrant #1575. payable to the order of Grimsley for Salaries for June 1884
16	514	14	Sends P.O. 11986. Denver Gold
17	517	16	Sends P.O. 11991. Charlotte Gold
19	528	18	Sends P.O. 11995. for $502.53 2/10, also duplicate of #3,000. for a like amount, on account of profit and Coinage of Silver Coin.
21	536	20	Sends P.O. #12,000. St Louis Ins Gold
21	537	20	Sends P.O. #12001 Boise City Gold
25	549	24	Sends P.O. #12003. Charlotte Gold
26	551	25	Sends P.O. #12005. for $5000. to reimburse Minor Coin Metal Fund account.
30	560	28	Sends draft #25.321. for $1,000. to meet expenses of Refinery for June.

1884 July - August -

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
1	562	June 30	Sends T.O. #12026 Denver Gold
7	581	July 5	Sends T.O. #12031 Charlotte Gold
12	599	10	Sends draft for $39.54 payable to order of Supt
16	618	15	Sends draft for Salaries &c.
17	621	15	Sends T.O. #12,053, Denver Gold.
17	622	16	Sends T.O #12,054 Charlotte Gold.
22	646	21	Transfer letters Nos 4396-97, were remailed by the Superintendent of Mint at New Orleans on the 19th inst.
23	647½	23	Claim from 1st Nat'l Bk. $60 Short in 1000 Silver Dollars Rec'd Nov 1883.
28	649	22	Forwards $350. in Minor Coins.
25	659	24	Have you draft of La Clede Bank for $30 [Telegram Confirms]
28	665	26	Credited you with 53¢ to make good discrepancy in remittance of $350 - Minor Coins forwarded on T.O #12,072.
28	666	26	Sends T.O. #12076. Charlotte Gold.
Aug 2	688	Aug 1	Sends T.O. #12086 for $22.906.89 in Silver Coin.
6	693	5	Sends T.O #12099 for $8.515.49 St Louis Gold
6	694	5	Sends T.O #12100 for $96.164.27 Denver Gold
8	702	7	Sends T.O. #12.106. for $1.133.72 Denver Gold

1884 August & Sept-

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
14	718	13	Sends D.O. No 12119 for $37,148.79 Boise City Gold-
14	719	13	Sends D.O. No 12120 for $3,339.77 Charlotte Gold
15	721	14	Sends D.O # 25957. for $41000. for Salaries &c for August 1884-
16	722	15	Sends D.O. #12,122 for $57.443.66 Denver Gold
19	726	18	Sends D.O #12127 for $7,147.85 Charlotte Gold
19	727	18	Sends draft for $5000- Appn Coinage of S.D. dolls-
27	734	25	Sends D.O #12.138 for $4,035.39 Charlotte Gold
Sept 1	749	Aug 30	Sends 30¢ found over in your remittance of D.O #12.134-
4	762	Sept 3	Sends D.O #12.152 for $71.322.41 Denver Gold
12	776	11	Sends D.O #12.165, for $443,947.75 in P.P dolls also Cfd #31.596 for like amount on account of profits on Coinage of S.D. dolls-
12	777	11	Sends D.O #12,164 for $5,259.42 St Louis Gold
16	784	15	Farmers & Merchants Nat Bank of Galva Ill Now receipts of Standard Silver dollars-
17	786	16	Sends D.O #12.177 for $4.713.61 Charlotte Gold-
17	787	16	Sends D.O #12.178 for $55.350.14 Denver Gold
17	788	16	Sends D.O #12.179 for $4.733.57 St Louis Gold

Sept 1884 – October

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
17	789	16	Sends T.O. #12.173. for $5.028.02 Charlotte Gold
22	800	20	Sends draft No 26,392 for $10.000 to be accounted for under the Appropriation, Coinage U.S. Dollars.
23	803	22	Sends 10¢ found over in payment of T.O. #12174
24	805	23	Sends draft #26.418 for Salaries & Wages.
25	806	24	Hold Shipment on Silver letter #31642 from Adams County Bank, Decatur Ind. $500 until further order.
27	813	26	Sends T.O. #12197 for $6.883.47 Charlotte Gold
Oct 1	819	Sept 30	Sends T.O. 12.206 for $77.177.16 Denver Gold
1	820	30	Forward remittance on Silver letter 31642, Adams County Bank, Decatur Ind, held on my request
4	829	Oct 3	In reference to shipments $500 each in halves and quarters to First Nat Bank Balto Md, received $1000. in dimes in payment of said letter.
11	845	10	Transmitting draft on accountable warrant.
16	859	15	Sends T.O. No 12084 for $25.450.75 Boise City Gold
17	864	16	Sends T.O. No 12.256 for $37.200.92 Boise City Gold
17	865	16	Sends T.O. No 12255 for $5,083.97 Charlotte Gold
21	875	18	Sends T.O. No 12.266 for $77.431.85 Denver Gold.
21	876	20	Sends T.O. No 12.265 for $5.552.03 Charlotte Gold.
28	903	27	Sends T.O. No 12.278. for $4.550.07 Charlotte Gold

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
6	929	5	Sends T O for $101.360 62 Denver Gold
12	946	11	Sends T.O. No 12307 for $8,392 57 Boise City Gold
14	959	13	Sends T.O No 12312 for $8,478 05 St Louis Gold
15	961	14	Sends draft No 27.035, on Treasury Warrant for $40.500 on account of Salaries &c
17	964	15	Sends T O No 12316. for $3.429. 55 Charlotte Gold
19	971	18	Encloses complaint of shortage in Silver Dollars Shipped to the Merchants & Planters Nat Bk. Vernon S.C.
21	979	20	Sends T.O. No 12.320 for $95,030 29 Denver Gold
21	980	20	Sends T.O. No 12.329 for $4.678 70 Charlotte Gold
22	985	21	Sends draft on Treasury Warrant for $10.000 - for Coinage of Silver dollars -
28	999	26	Sends T O No 12346 - for $15000 to reimburse Metal fund account -
Dec 2	1009	Dec 1	Sends T O # 12355 for $10,000 in 5¢ piece by reg" mail to Asst Treas U.S. at San Francisco
3	1014	2	In reference to furnishing the Asst Treas at New York with 1000 Gold dollars -
4	1021	3	Sends T O # 12362 for $4.147 57 Charlotte Gold
4	1022	3	Sends T O No 12361 for $82.470 58 Denver Gold -
4	1023	3	Sends T O No 12.363 - for $9.507 37 Boise City Gold -

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
8	1039	6	Sends J O # 12 374. for $4386.26 Charlotte Gold
13	1054	12	Sends draft No 27.349. on Treasury Warrant No 3733 for $55.000.
15	1055	12	Relative to the case of Mrs Lizzie D Wilson late helper in the General dept.
15	1057	13	Sends J.O 12.382 – for $11.949.17 Boise City Gold
17	1067	16	Sends J.O. 12396 for $51.061.27 Denver Gold –
29	1094	27	Sends J.O No 12.418. for $4,677.15 Charlotte Gold.
31	1101	30	Sends by Express $8.767.12, uncurrent Silver Coin for J.O No 12.425. of like amount.
Jan 5	17	Jan 3	Sends J.O. 12443 for $69.749.64 Denver Gold
5	18	3	Sends J.O. 12.444 for $7.377.21 for Charlotte Gold
5	19	3	Sends J.O, 12445, for $10.004.21 Boise City Gold.
7	25	6	Sends J.O, 12449 for $4.672.80 Charlotte Gold –
12	47	10	Sends J.O, 12458 for $3.197.26 Charlotte Gold.
14	53	13	Sends J.O, 12462 for $15,000 to reimburse Metal fund account.
15	60	14	Sends draft No 27769 on Treasury warrant No 134 for $11.000.
15	61	14	Sends draft No 27.770 on Treasury Warrant No 127 for $22.000.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
20	78	19	Sends J.O, No 12470 for $471,096 06 on account of profits on Coinage Silver Coins.
22	87	21	Sends J.O, 12477 for $5.607 20 Charlotte Gold.
22	88	21	Sends J.O, 12478 for $76.628 96 Denver Gold.
22	89	21	Sends J.O, 12479 for $6.338 65 St Louis Gold
24	96	23	In your remittance of Standard dollars, the enclosed was found to contain but $998.
26	99	24	Sends J.O, 12484 for $3247 40 Charlotte Gold
27	100	26	In reference to quarterly Register of Deposits.
27	102	26	Recd two dollars to cover shortage in amount found in Shipment of the 24th inst.
Feb 7	146	Feb 6	Sends J.O, 12500 for $11.249 29 Boise City Gold.
9	148	7	Forwards 2 dollars in planchets, received in your remittance in payment of J.O. 12473 & 12.490.
10	152	9	Sends J.O. 12509 for $3.519 29 Charlotte Gold
10	153	9	Sends J.O, 12510 for $23.877 23 St Louis Gold
12	159	11	Sends draft No 28117 for $50000 for Salaries Wages &c.
13	164	12	Sends J.O, 12511 for $109.915 62 Denver Gold.
18	180	17	Requests that you will omit the Shipment of Standard Silver Dollars on Friday & Saturday of this week.

1885 Febys. - March -

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
23	193	20	Sends T.O. 12525 for $2638.27 Charlotte Gold -
27	208	26	On making Shipment of Standard dollars to Morrow, Send $10,000. to Complete accounts on T.O. No 12519 -
March 3	224	Mar 2	Sends $2.00 in unstamped Silver Coin found in remittance of 100,000 Standard Silver Dollars received February 28th -
7	241	6	Sends T.O. No 12541. for $22.083.20 being the value of Annual Assay Coins of 1884, drawn on the U.S. Mint at San Francisco.
7	242	6	Sends T.O. No 12542 for $4.865 being the value of Annual Assay Coins of 1884 -
7	243	6	Sends T.O. No 12.543. for $2.464. drawn on Mint of U.S. at Carson being the Value of Annual Assay Coins 1884 -
10	248	9	Sends draft No 30.591. for $37.75 Interior Warrant
12	251	11	Sends, properly signed Silver Certs, No 34247. dated March 9th for $499.20 favr First Nat Bank Danville Ky -
11	252	10	Sends T.O. No 12546 - for $10.990.76 Charlotte Gold -
11	253	10	Sends T.O. 12547. for $18.549.80 Bodie City Gold
13	259	11	Vouchers for Arthur Indian Peace Medals have not been received -

1885 Mar. April.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
13	258	12	Sends T.O. No 12548 for $101.132 Denver Gold
14	263	13	Sends T.O. No 12554. for $5088 St Louis Gold
14	264	13	Sends $1.00 planchet, received in payment of T.O. No 12,534. requests perfect one therefor.
18	276	17	One of the bags received from your Office this day on account of T.O. No 12534. was found to be One dollar short.
19	273	18	Sends draft No 28745 for $49.000 for Salaries Wages &c.
21	286	20	Sends T.O. No 12569. for $668 Charlotte Gold.
23	287	21	Sends T.O. No 12578. for $3218.76 Charlotte Gold
23	288	21	Sends by Reg Mail One silver dollar, in return for one sent to this Office to cover Supposed shortage.
27	299	26	Sends 40¢ in dimes Coinage 1885, amount found over in Shipment of $500.
31	308	30	Sends T.O. 12582. for $2743.32 Charlotte Gold.
31	309	30	Relative to 2 dozen press Copying, books, these books are classed as Stationery and are to be obtained by requisition on that department.
	April		
8	329	7	In reference to return of dimes 40¢ remitted in mine of the 26 ulto.

1885 April – May

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
9	335	8	Sends J.O. 12591 for $2.894.42 Charlotte Gold.
11	345	3	Encloses for redemption & returns a gold piece $20
16	350	15	Sends J.O. #12604 for $6846.78 St Louis Gold.
16	351	15	Sends J.O. # 12603 for $4.104.94 Charlotte Gold.
16	352	15	Sends J.O. # 12602 for $116664.65 Denver Gold.
18	357	17	Sends draft for $30.000 for salaries wages &c &c.
21	368	20	Sends J.O. 12611 for $5698.52 Charlotte Gold.
24	377	23	Sends Gold & Silver Coins for recoining
29	386	28	Returns transcript of Bullion fund account.
30	388	29	Relative to Telegram recd. A.S. Garretson Sioux Natl Bank Sioux City Iowa.
	May.		
1	393	30	Jordan appointed Treasurer of U.S.
2	398	1	Graves appointed Asst. Treas. U.S.
13	427	12	Transfer Order # 12636 for $8.304.02
15	434	14	Sends J.O. # 12638 for $14.331.07
16	436	15	Sends J.O. # 12642 for $103.210.37
16	437	15	Sends J.O. # 12641 for $7.994.05
18	441	17	Sends Draft # 29534 for $37.300
22	454	21	Sends J.O. # 12653 for $7.422.41

May

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
25	455	23	Question concerning Colgates deposit of Trade Dollars referred to Solicitor, decides Colgate should be paid 98¢ per ounce Std.
25	456	23	Returns bids for 5 Bbls coinus sweeps & directs Grosel mines be accepted.
26	457	25	Weekly Coinage report to be discontinued
26	458	25	Requests Treas. to deposit $571.140 32 being net profit on coinage of silver
26	459	25	Transmits Copy of circular fixing rate to be paid for mutilated silver coins
26	460	25	The name of John S Haines has been dropped.
27	461	26	Sends draft $7.250 a/c wages & S.S.D. coinage
29	469	26	Sends L.O. # 12,656 for $9.253 25 a/c

1885 June.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
1	471	May 29	Sends J.O. No 12.659 for 571 32
2	475	1	Number of Standard Silver Dollars to be coined in June- 1.400-000
2	475½	1	Authorizing Mr James W Whelpley to act & discharge all duties of Treas. U.S.
2	476	1	Received Coins reserved for special assay for May.
4	487	3	Schedule of orders for shipment of Standard Silver Dollars-
4	488	3	Transfer check No. 22.531 for $200-
5	492	4	Relative to cleaning Coins.
13	510	12	Sends J.O. No 12685
13	511	12	Sends J.O. No 12.686
13	514	12	Sends Draft No 30003 for $58 880.047
17	523	16	Sends J.O. 12.691
17	524	16	Sends J.O. 12692.
24	547	23	Sends J.O. No 12.697 for $502.079 62
26	555	25	Sends J.O. No. 12.705 for $6.901.77
July 10	596	9	Sends J.O. No $12.721 for $21.622 49
14	612	13	Sends Draft No 33. for $54.800-
15	618	14	Sends J.O. 12.727 for $8.052 39

1885 July.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
16	619	15	Mohis report of daily shipment of Standard Silver Dollars.
17	629	16	Sends S.O. 12.731 for $98.159[57]
17	634	16	New forms for reporting Shipment of S.S.D. are being prepared.
22	655	21	Sends S.O. No 12.735. for $10.738[24]
augt 1	698	31	Sends S.O. No 12746 for $15.292[98]
			August
6	730	5	Sends Transfer Check No 22.572 for $300 for which please send $300 Gold Dollars to Henry L. Dodge San Francisco Cal.
7	732	6	Sends S.O. No 12.752 for $9.992[56]
14	775	13	Sends S.O. No 12760 for $10.223[88]
15	784	14	Sends S.O. No 12.763 for $5.808 27
15	785	14	Sends S.O. No 12762 for $68.526.77
19	796	18	Sends S.O. No 12.767 for $6.973[68]
19	798	18	Encloses draft No 538 for $29.978.55
24	824	26	Sends S.O. No 12.778 for 19.857[33]

September.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
2	894	1	Sends T.O. No 12,788 for $19.784.46
9	894	8	Sends T.O. No 12801 for $11.43 19
9	903	8	Sends T.O. No 12.800 for $23.155 62
14	931	12	Sends Draft No 929 on Treas Warrant for $35.000
14	932	12	Acknowledges receipt of your Ordinary Refinery Expense a/c for Month of August 1885.
16	956	15	Sends by Express $3242 91 of uncurrent silver for recoining.
19	980	18	Sends T.O. No 12.841 for $6.538.62
21	981	19	Sends T.O. No 12487 for $6080 47
21	982	19	Sends T.O. No 12848 for $1546 30
18	983	17	Sends T.O. No 12.831 for $230.823.17
21	984	19	Sends T.O. No 12.846. for $401 69
21	985	19	Sends T.O. No 12849 for $26.122 18

1885 October

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
2	968	1	Sends T.O. No 12867 for $21.457.70
7	983	6	Sends T.O. No 12.878 for $8.961.69
16	1040	15	Sends T.O. No 12.906 for $33.236.48
22	1063	21	Sends T.O. No 1369 for $41.000
29	2001	28	Sends T.O. No 12932 for $9.438.41
four 2	2011	31	Please furnish me with a statement of the amount of S.S.& forwarded from your office during July, August & September 1885 With amount of Express Charges thereon.
2	2012	31	Sends T.O. No 12933 for $37.769.39
2	2013	31	Sends T.O. No 12934 for $27.823.56
11	2064	10	Sends T.O. No 12962 for $4.848.67

1885 November.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
4	2030	3	Relative to F.O. No 12.934 no need to make the change you desire.
4	2031	3	Sends Signitures of Asst Treas. & acting Asst Treas of U.S.
9	2058	m	Sends F.O. No 12.956 for $32.m4m 35
13	2077	12	Relative to shipment to Elkland Penn^a with telegram sent by Treas. U.S
13	2078	12	Encloses Draft No 1622 for $40.000
14	2082	13	Wishes a statement showing the amount of S.S.D shipped during July, Aug. Sept. Oct. & also forward the same at close of each month.
16	2089	14	Sends F.O. No 12.969 for $7.358 58
18	2099	1m	Sends F.O. No 12.966 for 1.000.000 also Duplicate Certificate of Deposit No. 34.m70.
19	2103	18	Sends F.O. No 12.978 for $22.938 59
19	2104	18	Sends Draft No 1661 for $1.000
24	2128	23	Inquires if any record is kept of coins recorded at Philad Mint bearing date of 1853.
24	2129	23	Sends F.O. 12.982 for $3.246 94
24	2129½	23	$7.05 Mics ~~to be~~ forwarded for returns to A Gruber, Lexington, Mo.
27	2137	25	Sends F.O. No 12.988 for $8.445 27
27	2138	25	Sends F.O. No 12.989 for $11.882 78

1885 November. December: Jan 1886.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
30	2151	28	Will please 1.000.000 to your credit on Monday A.M. if you require it.
		Dec	
Dec 1	2155	30	Relative to the recoinage of U.S. Silver Coins
5	2177½	4	About Crucible contract.
14	2219	12	Sends T.O. No. 13013. for $4.019.75
16	2229	15	Sends T.O. No 13024 for $4.196.83
18	2234	17	Encloses Draft. No. 1989 for $47.000.
19	2240	18	Sends T.O No. 13035 for $107.600.45
28	2259	26	Sends T.O. No. 13045. for $4.872.21.
30	2268	29	Returns scales with thanks.
1886			
Jan		Jan	January
4	2286	2	Encloses copy of letter of Asst. Treas. at Chicago relative to shortage in Dimes shipped in T.O No. 12993. $1.50
7	2297	6	Request for 1.000 Gold Dollars not fulfilled. "was it overlooked?"
12	2316	12	Sends T.O. No. 13073 – $4.499.82. Charlotte Gold
14	2327	12	Sum of $2. is due the Mint on a Life Saving Medal Dec. 9./85 & will be remitted.
15	2335	14	Asks what amt. (by denomination) of Gold coin is now held in Supt's office.
16	2337	15	Sent. Tel. – Anticipate C.D. No. 24 $65.00 fractional Silver to be forwarded to Brown Bros & Co. N.Y. they paying charge here.

1886. January. February.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
20	2345	19	Sends T.O. 13088. Charlotte Gold. $5.656.86.
20	2346	19	Sends. T.O. 13087. Denver Gold. $69.441.67.
20	2347	19.	Sends. T.O. 13084. Charlotte Gold. $3.587.60
20	2348	19	Sends. T.O. 13086. Denver Gold. $1.312.89.
22	2356	21	Sends Draft. $42.000. for Jan. expenses. 1886
23	2360	22	Sends. T.O. 13092. St Louis Gold. $10.870.48.
26	2363½	25	Wishes Letter from H. G. Foye. Rut in Bay. Ohio. dated Dec 15/85. returned for temporary use
27	2370	26	Sends T.O. 13096 - Boise City Gold. $8.824.44
29	2377	29	No reply has been recd to a letter of Jan. 25th - requesting the return of a Letter, for temporary use, from H. G. Foye.
29	2377½	29	Requests Supt to forward to this Office the return of Ordnance & Ordnance Stores, for quarters ending Sept. 30th & Dec 31/85.

February.

3	2392	2	Requests that diligent search be made for the "mislaid" letter of H. G. Foye - required for the purpose of ascertaining if mention is made therein of fractional currency sent with mutilated Silver.
9	2412	8	In reply to Letter of 6th inst, stating that you are unable to pay transfer Letter No. 234. in 1/4 Eagles, you have been wired as follows "Pay trans Letter. 234 in 1/2 Eagles.

1886. February.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
9	2412½	9	Has mailed this day a printed telegraphic code & key to be used between Supt & U. S. Treasy, the several Sub. Treasuries & the Mints of N. O & San Francisco — Please ack. receipt & destroy code sent in Oct.
11	2419	10	Returns letter of H. G. Joye. Put in Bay. Ohio.
11	2420	10	Sends T. D. no 13114. for $4.285.78. Charlotte Gold.
12	2422	11	Has recd. Statement of Gold coin & Bullion, & Silver coin & Bullion in the Treas'r Bullion a/c. with Phila Mint for each quarter from June 30/60 to Dec. 31/77.
12	2423	11	
16	2430	15	Sends T. D. no. 13118. Denver Gold. $101.202.60.
17	2434	16	Encloses Draft no. 2798. on Treasy Warrant. no. 5715 for $40.000.
17	2435	16	Forwards on a Bag of mutilated foreign Silver coin $75 & wishes value sent to H. Gregory. Mass choice. Rs. less all charges.
19	2443	18.	In answer to Supt's letter of 17th Encloses copy of his letter to Slater Nat Bk, Pawtucket, R.I. stating why he declined filling their order with 3 dollar Pieces & ordered it filled with ½ Eagles.
23	2457	20	Sends T. D no. 13.126. — $4.593. amt of Annual Assay coins.
23	2454	20.	Sends T. D. no 13.125. — $22.771.30. — amt of Annual Assay coins.
23	2455	20	Sends T. D. no 13127. — $334. Amt of Annual Assay coins

1886. March.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
3	2480	2	Sends T.O. no. 13.139. Charlotte Gold. $6.283.18.
5	2491	4	Sends T.O. no 13.148. St Louis Gold. $11.229.62.
5	2492	4	Sends T.O. no 13147. Charlotte Gold. $4.578.76.
6	2497	5	Thanks to Supt for Statement of Silver coins recd at Phila. Mint & recoined from. Jan 1/50 to Dec 31/85
12	2536	11	Transfer Orders issued no 13160. $100.460.10. to Phila Mint.
12	2537	11	Sends T.O. no 13158. Charlotte Gold. $5.233.02.
12	2538	11	Sends T.O. no 13158. Denver Gold. $88.465.39.
16	2534	15	Sends. T.O. no 13163. Also Disp. Dep. Ro 35695 on acct of Profits on coinage of Silver.
17	2564	16	Sends T.O. no 13165. Charlotte Gold. $7.247.14.
18	2575	17	Forwards Draft. No. 3123. $41.000. for March Expenses.
29	2612	27	Sends T.O. No 13186. Charlotte Gold. $6.385.42
29	2612	27	Sends T.O. no 13187. Boise City Gold $5.191.10

1886. April.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
6	2669½	0	Wishes Supt to prepare & forward his returns of Ordnance & Ordnance Stores.
10	2691	9	Sends T. O. no. 13199. St Louis Gold. $9.257.23.
16	2724	15	Encloses T. O. no 13206. Deaber Gold. $92 $21.04
16	2725	15	Sends Draft no. 3455. on Treas'y Warrant 5815. for $49.000
16	2726	15	Sends T. O. no. 13207. Charlotte Gold. $7.725.69.
21	2743	20	A. C. D. no 718. $1000 from Treas of U. S., N. Y. on acct of Standard Silver Dollars (to be forwarded from Mint to U. S. Mint, Morris Run Pa. Does not appear as having been paid. — Please advise
24	2752	24	Sends T. O. no. 13220 from U. S. Assay. N. Y. $99.452.36.
24	2753	22	Sends T. O. no 13216. Charlotte Gold. $8.811.37.
24	2754	22	Sends T. O. no 13217. St Louis Gold. $9.745.44.

1883, March, April, May.

Date c'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch 5	232	Mch 13	Wants $1,000. in new 5¢ nickels, C.O.D.
7	242	6	Sends $1,000. by Exp. in 5¢ pcs.
13	264	10	Wants 1 or 2 proof sets of '83, before the 15th inst.
Apl 26	447	Apl 25	Forwards $6,000. in Silver 5¢ pcs. on T.C. 11249.
May 10	497	May 9	Ships $8,000. in Smooth fractional Coin (Silver) on T.C. 11274.
10	498	9	Wants 150 proof 5¢ pcs. "cents", C.O.D. to complete sets.
12	510	11	Ships $1,060. in 1¢ Nickels, on T.C. 11280.
16	520	15	Wants 10 or 15 sets Hawaiian Coins, C.O.D.
26	557	25	Remits 31¢, Shortage on 1¢ Nickels sent on T.C.# 11280.
29	567	28	Ships $1,000. in Silver ½ Dimes, on T.C.# 11297.
June 13	639	June 12	Ships $1,000. in ½ Dimes on T.C.# 11,330
23	680	21	(Renewal) Wants 15 sets Hawaiian Coinage.
July 5	723	July 5	Bal to Supt's credit. (Z.C.)

1883 July, Oct. Nov. Dec 1884 Jan

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
July 19	769	July 18	Rec'd cancelled check #2073.
Oct 12	1029	Oct 11	Rec'd Cancelled check No. 2168
Nov 2	1079	Nov 2	(Tel) Credited A/C one million yesterday.
19	1137	17	Rec'd cancelled chk #3803.
20	1142	19	Wants 15 Silver & m. c. proof sets with T. D. & £20. in Halves, & £10. in Quarters – C. O. D.
Dec 17	1215	Dec 15	Orders 2 Silver proof sets with T. D. & C. O. D. for his personal use.
1884 Jany 7	30	Jan 5	Rec'd Cancelled Check, #3864.
26	89	25	Sends £4,080. in 1¢, 3¢, & 5¢ nickels on T. O. 11747.
[illegible]			
24	83½	23	Sends copy of Tarry & Eaton's Report of assay of 5¢ Nickels, pronounced to be Counterfeit. Reports Comparison &c (2 papers filed herein)
30 Jan 7	109	23 Feb	Wants 3½ £ set & 20 T. D's C. O. D.
9	154	8	Wants Report on the assay & examination of parts of 5¢ pcs. sent January 23 1884.

1883, February, April 1885 Jan April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Feb 11	159	Feb 9	Wants, C. O. D. 1 Silver proof set, of 1883, including T. D.
13	167	12	Rec'd Assayer's Report, & sends five 5 cts for critical examination, & report [Mch 4/84, Assayer's Report of this date, filed herein.]
Apl 8	322	7	Wants C. O. D. 2 Silver proof sets, & 20 Gold Dollars (not for Sausages.)
16	355	15	Proof sets & Gold Dollars, ordered April 8, not rec'd. Sausage Story.
21	367	19	Rec'd cancelled check #3959.
Jan 6	21	Jan 5	Forwards this day $11.000 in half dimes
14	55	13	Received Cancelled check No 4617
Mar 20	280	Mar 19	Requests that Gold and Silver proof Coins be sent C. O. D.
April 28	385	27	Please send me C. O. D. a $10 gold piece 1885

1883 June –

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
12	508	11	orders 3 Gold Proof sets, 5 Silver P Sets 50 $3 gold Pieces 50 $2½ gold pieces 100 $1 Dollars –

1884 - July / August - 1885 Mar -

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
22	647	21	Forwards $1.000- in 1¢ nickel pieces as per J.O. No 12,061-
Aug 5	691	Aug 4	Ships $27000 in half dimes, on J.O. #12088-
Dec 22	1078	Dec 20	Desires name and address of party who Manufactures Kegs for Shipping Silver-
Mar 14	265	Mar 13	Received Cancelled Check No 4676-
			June J.M. Floyd - Act. Asst. Treas.
12	505	11	Advises shipment of $7.000 in ½ dimes by Adams Ex. Co.
			November.
19	2105	18	Sends $ Qty. 454. for recoinage
			December.
3	2141	4	Can you send me 1.000 of 500 Gold Dollars.
8	2185	"	Floyd A.A.T. Cancelled Check No 5066 reed.
18	2235	17	Sends $600 for Gold Dollars & halves & quarters in Silver.

1885 = December: 1886. Jan.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
14	2220	12	Thanks for being able to supply one dollar Gold pieces Enquires if he can have $100 in halves & quarters.
26	2255	24	Recd 500 Gold dollars & $100 uncirculated Silver.
1886 Jan		Jan	
14	2328	13	Asks if he can have. $2500. in 1/2's. - $2500 in 1/4's. - $1500 in Dimes. - $250 in Nickels. - $250 in Cents.
Feb. 3	2387 1/2	1	Official signature of Asst. Treas. U. S. at New York.

1883, March, May, 1884, Jany

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch 28	324	Mch 27	A. J. Hastings, Act'g Asst Treas. Boston Mass. Sends 25 ¢ ps. for examination.
May 18	525	May 16	M. W. Kennard, Asst Treas. U.S. Boston Ships 1 ¢ Nickels, $ 3,744.78 on T. O. #11286.
19	533	18	(Same) 1 Bag of Bronze 1 ¢ ps. Supposed to have been sent in place of 1 ¢ Nickels.
24	546	23	(Same) The tags would show without a count, if the missing bag was there.
July 24	792	July 20	A. J. Hastings, Act'g Asst Treas. Boston Mass. Sends $ 5. gold piece, for examination. [Acting Assayer's Patterson DuBois' report filed herein.]
Aug 2	822	July 31	M. W. Kennard, Asst Treas. Boston Mass. Returns pieces of $ 5. gold coin, & returns asked of their value.
1884			
Jany 26	91	Jany 24	E. E. Rowe, Asst Treas. Office, Cincinnati, O. How many Nickels coined without cents
31	114	29	(Same) How many old Style 5 ¢ ps were issued in 1883. Wants Gold Dollars.

1884, Mch, Apl. July August

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch 12	250	Mch 10	A J Hastings, Actg Asst Treas Boston, Mass Sends for examination, a suspected $5. Coin. Wants return of Value.
Apl 24	378	Apl 23	M W Kennard A. T. Boston Mass Requests return of Kegs sent 14th inst with minor Coins.
July 24	654	July 22	John L Bevindge Asst Treas Chicago Ill Sends $400 - Minor Coins. in 3 sealed boxes.
Aug 1	677	30	M W Kennard Asst Treas Boston Mass Encloses for Examination a $5. Gold piece supposed to be Counterfeit -
7	699	4	A G Edwards Asst Treas St Louis Mo Asking the return of Tags & Counterfeits sent to Mint at Phila -
8	703	6	Sends by Adams Express four packages of Coin
8	704	6	M W Kennard Asst Treas Boston Mass Sends for Examination a $5. Counterfeit Recd letter of 4th inst and enclosures -
13	713	11	A G Edwards Asst Treas St Louis Mo Receipt Acknowledged of $4.31 Counterfeits and Spurious Coins -
21	729	20	M W Kennard Asst Treas Boston Mass Acknowledging receipt of letter enclosing $4.50 Value of Counterfeit Coin sent for examination -
			A G Edwards Asst Treas St Louis Mo Enclosing letter, in reference to one cent pieces -

1885 June -

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
12	505	11	J.M. Floyd act. Asst. Treas. Advises shipment of $7.000 in ½ dimes by Adams Ex. Co.
12	507	11	Thos. F. Leary act Asst Treas. Baltimore Sends $1079 80/100 in uncurrent Coin.
23	542	20	Simpson New Orleans. The amount of $3 70 returned has been put to Credit of General a/c of Treas. U.S.
24	544	23	Chas Coon U.S. Asst Treas. at Philad reports that you deposited with him April 18 - 1885 - $90.000
	July		
14	613	13	Whelpley J.W. Sends T.O. 12.725 for $1.496 19
	August		
	750	Copy.	Instructions to Custodian of P.O. to prepare vaults by Directors orders -
	September		
14	945	14	Whelpley J.W. Sends T.O. No 12.824 for $12.412 15
			Coon Asst. Secty Relative to missing Carbine
			October
12	1015	10	Whelpley Asst Treas. Relative to distribution of S.S.D.
13	1023	12	Same Sends Telegraphic Code & Key.

1885 October. November: December.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
24	10775	23	Whelpley Sends J.O. No 12.917 for $18.466.89
24	10776	23	Same Sends J.O. No 12.924 for $43.019.36
24	10777	23	Same. Sends J.O. No 12.916 for $9.419.73
26	1081	24	Same. Sends J.O. No 12.928 for $3.416.64
4	2032	3	November. Leury. Baltimore Md. Sends fractional currency for recoinage
9	2189	8	(December.) Whelpley A.T. Sends J.O. No 13008 for $2.243.69
14	2220	12	

1883, March, May, Aug, Oct Nov 1884, Jany

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch 3	226	Mch 2.	Ordinary A/c, 3d 2/82, adjusted and verified
10	254	9	S. S. de Coinage Exp. a/c. 3d & 4th 2/82, adjusted and verified.
13	263	12	Bullion a/c's last 6 mos. of /82, adjusted and verified.
May 11	504	May 10	Bullion & Minn Coinage A/c's, 2nd Quarter, 1882, adjusted & verified.
Aug 20	875	Aug 18	Examined & verified Bullion A/c's, 3rd Quarter /82
Oct 15	1031	Oct 13	Bullion Accounts, 4th Quarter /82, adjusted & verified
26	1067	25	Medal A/c 1/82 to Dec 31/82, adjusted and verified.
Nov 19	1136	Nov 17	Ordy Exp. a/c, 1 Oct/82 to June 1/83, adjusted & verified
1884			
Jany 18	69	17	Refy Exp. a/c. & S. S. d. Exp. a/c from Jany 1/83, to June 30/83, adjusted and verified.
30	106	29	Bullion a/c's, 1st Quarter /83, adjusted and verified.
Feb 13	166	Feb 12	Wants Explanation of Voucher "C," Mch 5, for 5 Directories, Supplemental Ord. a/c Fiscal Year '83, D.M. only approved 2

1884, Feb. Apl. May, June, Sept. Oct.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Feb		Feb	
19	183	18	Supplemental Apt, Ordy Exps. Fiscal Year 1882-83, adjusted and balanced.
Apl		Apl	
8	323	7	Bullion Apt. Second Quarter 1883 (ended June 30 of 83) adjusted and verified.
May		May	
6	406	5	Refining, and Coinage of $$ dollars from July 1st to Dec 31st 1883, adjusted and verified
12	423	10	Ordinary expenses and account from July 1st 1883 to Dec 31st 1883 adjusted and closed.
20	442	19	Bullion account for 3rd Qr 1883. adjusted and verified
June		June	
10	487	9	Medal Manufacture account from January 1st 1883 to March 31st 1884, Adjusted & Verified,
Sept		Sept	
30	817	29	Ordinary Expens account Adjusted -
Oct		Oct	
4	830	3	Account of Expenses for parting and refining Bullion, has been adjusted, also Coinage of the Silver dollar account -
Dec		Dec	
6	1035	5	Supplemental account for Ordinary Expenses for fiscal year ending June 30th 1884 has been Adjusted and found to balance -
Jan		Jan	
14	54	13	Account for Gold and Silver bullion deposited and purchased, for quarter ending Dec 31st 1883 have been adjusted -
Oct		Oct	
15	831/2	14	Sends partial statements of the deposits in the Savings Banks in U.S. and Great Britain

1885 Jan, Feb - March - April.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
21	83	20	Your account for the manufactum of medals from April 1st 1884 to Sept 30 1884 has been adjusted and found to agree with your statement.
Feb		Feb	
5	137	4	Your accounts for quarter ending Sept 30th 1884 has been Adjusted -
6	138	5	Purchase of Silver 229000, @ $1.0828 d 35 -
6	139	5	Transmits Assayers Report upon Special Assay Coins for each week in Dec 1884
27	210	26	Your account for Gold and Silver bullion purchased & deposited, and for Cent Coinage commencing Jan 1st and ending June 30th 1884 has been adjusted -
Mar		Mar	
3	225	2	Sends Duplicate account of actual traveling expenses incurred as a Member of Annual Assay Commission -
4	228	3	Receive your Ordinary 4 per cent account for the quarter ending Dec 31st 1884 - adjusted
6	237	5	Received Check for $26.50 in payment of my traveling expenses incurred in Attending Annual Assay Commission -
April			
7	326	6	Your account of Gold and silver bullions purchased and deposited and for minor Coinage during the quarter ended Sept 30th 1884 has been adjusted.
13	346	11	Your account for expenses incurred in the coinage of Standard silver dollars during quarter ending Dec. 31 1884 has been adjusted.

1885 June - July - 1886. January. February.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
29	363½	27	Authority of Kobbe to sign Statement of Telegram sent to same.
July 20	644	17	Rogers Suggs bill to first auditor and recommends the suspension be removed.
1886 Jan		Jan	January
25	2364	23	Medal acct. for quarter ending Sept 1885. adjusted & certified calls attention to an item. 139.46. which should have been paid into Treasy as proceeds of "Old Metercal, and wishes it so done.
			February
20	2448	19	Supplemental Acct for Ordinary Expenses for Fiscal year ending June 1885, adjusted & acct balanced.
			March
29	2611	27	Supts acct for Gold & Silver Bullion Dep. & purchased at U.S. Mint Phila. & for M. Cs from July 1. 1885 to Sept 30". 1885. has been adjusted at the Treasy & differs from Supts statement in the sum of [illegible].

1885 October

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
17	1048	15	Requests a certified copy of the receipt of Jds. B. Booth M & R. for Silver Bars delivered to him Dec. 2. 84.

1883, April, May, Oct Dec, 1884, Jany Mch, Apl

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl 3	341	Mch 27	Rec'd Dies Shipped 16th inst.
10	374	3	Forwards Annual Assay Coins, 1st Quarter /83.
31	456½	12	None in Mint a city. Will send ½ oz. from first lot rec'd.
May 16	523	May (Tel) 8	Alex. Martin, M & R Sends ½ oz. Southern California gold, as requested.
June 5	600	May 29	(Same) Rec'd $9.32 in pay't pr Gold Wash
28	697	21	Forwards Box of Annual Assay Coins pr the Second Quarter, 1883.
Oct 8	1015	Oct 1	Forwards Box of Annual Assay coins – 3rd Quarter /83.
Dec. 7	1190	Nov. 30.	Rec'd Coinage Dies of 1884.
28	1238	2	Rec'd 10 Dime Dies.
1884			
Jany 9	38	Jany 2	Forwards Annual Assay Coins 4th Quarter /83.
10	42	3	Returns Reverse Coinage Dies of 1883.
Mch 12	251	Mch 4	Rec'd 5 pair of Dies, pr Hawaiian Dimes.
Apl 9	326	Apl 2	Forwards by Express, 1 Box Annual Assay coins, First Quarter /84.

1884, Apr July-Oct-1885 Jan

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apr 9	326	Apr 2	Forwards by Express, 1 Box Annual Assay Coins, First Quarter 1884.
July 1	564	June 24	Forwards Annual Assay Coins Second quarter 1884.
Oct 9	837	Oct 2	Sends Assay Coins value $7,125-
Jan 10	41	Jan 3	Forwards box containing reverse dies for Calendar year 1884-
10	42	3	Sends box Annual Assay Coins for quarter ending Dec 31st 1884-
31	116	24	Encloses letter from Director in reference to dies for Calendar Year 1885 Sent them in Mistake-
April 7	327	31 March.	Forwards box containing assay coins reserved during quarter ending March 31 1885-
August 24	816	18	Letter returned having been sent by mistake
October 8	988	1	Assay Coins for Quarter Ending Sept 30-85
14	1030	5	Sends for 5 one Dollar proof pieces

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
2	366	1	Account for expenses of Parting & Refining Bullion at Mint at Philad.a has been adjusted.
3	570	26	Sends assay coin for quarter ending June 30-85
			October.
30	2005	22	Sends Thanks for Proof Set.
			November.
2nd	2104	19	Acknowledges receipt of Box containing Dies for 1886.
1886			January
Jan		Jan	
9	2308	2	Sends today per Wells. F. & Co Ex. Box of Assay coins. for Quarter ending Dec. 31/85
13.	2323	4	Forwards one Box of Reverse coinage Dies of 1885
30	2383	23	Acknowledges Recpt of Box coulaining Coinage Dies of 1886.
			February
5	2396	28	Ack. receipt of Box of Copper Bronze Medals
			April.
7	2672	Mch 30	Ack. receipt of coinage Dies.
9	2687	2	Sends assay coins for Quarter ending Mch. 31-/86.

1886 April.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
21	2744	13	Acknowledges receipt of coinage Dies. which completes his requisition.

1883, April, June, July, Oct Nov 1884, Jany, Apl

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl 10	373	Apl 3	Mails 3 Boxes Annual Assay Coins, First Quarter 1883.
June 2	582	May 24	Rec'd 3 Standard guages to measure piles of coin.
30	710	23	Mails 3 Boxes Annual Assay Coins, Second Quarter 1883.
July 17	765	July —	Rec'd 6 O. 6 R. Eagle Dies.
Oct 10	1022	Oct 2	Mails 3 Boxes Annual Assay Coins — 3rd Quarter 1883.
Nov 15	1124	Nov 8	Encloses a letter for Over & Hess.
1884			
Jany 2	3	Dec 26	Rec'd 49 Dies, shipped 10th inst.
10	41	Jany 3	Returns Dies of 1883.
11	48	5	Mails 3 Boxes Annual Assay Coins; 4th Quarter 1883.
Apl 12	342	Apl 4	Mails 3 Boxes Annual Assay Coins; First Quarter, 1884.
May 23	454	16	Received S.S.D. Guage shipped May 6th 1884
June 25	550	June 17	Mails 3 Boxes Annual Assay Coins
Oct 9	838	Oct 2	Sends 3 boxes of Assay Coins.

1885 January ~ Mar.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
2	2	Dec 26	Sends 17 Reverse dies for 1884.
		Jan	
19	74	12	The enumeration of Standard Dollar Dies No 37 in my Schedule of Dec 26th 1884 was an error.
10	74½	3	Sends 3 boxes Annual Assay Coins.
			Mch
19	275	7	Sends 2 boxes containing assay coins reserved during the Month of Jan & Feb.
			Octobter
8	984	1	Annual assay Coins for 3d Quarter 1885
			March.
19			

1883, April, June, July, Oct, Nov, Dec 1884, Jan

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl 9	369	Apl 6	Rec'd 24 S.S.d. Dies.
20	426	17	Rec'd 8 S.S.d. Dies.
June 21	669	June 18	Forwards warrant & chk for $173 in pay't for supplies. Requests return of warrant, signed.
28	696	25	Forwards Box of Annual Assay coins, Second Quarter 183.
10	740	7	Verifying Tel. Wants 2 ozs pure Gold; 10 ozs pure Silver, to check assays.
July 31	810	July 27	Sends $55.31 in gold & Silver in payment for Proof Gold & Silver, received.
Oct 15	1032	Oct 11	Forwards Box of Annual Assay coins, 3rd Quarter 183.
Nov 12	1104	Nov 9	Rec'd 6 O, & 6 R. S.S.d. Dies.
30	1162	26	Mails a punch, not now in use, for milling the inner Edge of Silver Dollar collar. Difficulties in this connection.
Dec 3	1175	Nov 27	Dr M. F. Bonzano, late M & R. In reference to the condition of affairs in the N. O. Mint, when he was M & R.
1884			
Jany 7	29	Jany 3	Rec'd Dies of 1884.

1884. January, Apl July. Oct, 1885 Jan

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Jany 11	47	Jany 8	Forwards Annual Assay coins 4th Quarter 1883.
31	112	28	Recd 14 obs & Rev Dies.
Apl 10	333	Apl 7	Forwards Assay Coins, First Quarter, 1884.
15	352	12	Sends M. O. for $17.90 in pay't for 10 ozs. Proof Silver received. Encloses voucher for signature & return [Assay's receipt written]
July 3	572	June 28	Forwards Bx of Annual Assay Coins 2nd qr 1884-
Oct 3	828	Sept 30	Forwards Bx Annual Assay Coins 3rd quarter
Jan 6	22	Jan 3	Sends one box containing annual assay pieces for quarter ending Dec 31st 1884-
12	44	7	Received "Corning Press &c goods shipped as per bill of lading Nov 24 1884-
12	45	8	Received Engd Machine, bed plate, and two boxes of Agitators-
12	46	8	Forwards two boxes of Dies Obverse and Reverse
17	71	13	Received 5 pair Std Dollar Dies No 1 to 5 and 10 pairs No 6 to 10-

1885 July—

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
2	568	29	Sends by Reg Mail Box containing annual assay pieces.

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
7	328	4	Sends box containing Annual Assay pieces for quarter ending March 31st 1885.
	August		
24	818	22	Returned box with half Eagle dies No24 & 25.
	October		
5	975	3	Sends Annual Assay pieces for Quarter ending Sept 30th. 85.
1886			January
Jan		Jan	
11	2312	8	Relative to forwarding by registered mail, Annual Assay Pieces - for quarter ended Dec. 31/85
			February
8	2407	4	Should like to have a printed list of American & foreign coins that command a premium.
			April
7	2673	3	Forwards Annual assay coin, for quarter ended. March 31/86

1883, March, ~~April~~, May, June, July, Aug. Sept Oct, Nov
1884, Jany, Febr

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch 5	233	Mch 1	Shipment No. 8, U. S. Gold.
Apl 4	352	31	Shipment No. 9, U. S. Gold.
May 5	479	May 4	Shipment No. 10. " " "
16	521	12	Shipment No. 11. " " "
June 5	599	June 1	Shipment No. 12. " " "
July 2	712	June 26	Shipment No. 13. " " "
6	729	July 6	(Tel) Shipment No. 13. may all be covered in & the Bullion Fund apes. [Statement of filed herein]
Aug 3	831	July 30	Sends 5 dfts in payt of 5 1314 to Supplies — named within.
4	836	July 31	Shipment, No. 1. U. S. Gold
4	837	31	Shipment No. 2, U. S Gold
Sept 5	918	Aug 31	Shipment No. 3. " " "
Oct 5	1,097	Oct 1	Shipment No. 4. " " "
Nov 5	1088	Oct 31	Shipment No. 5. " " "
Dec 5	1184	Nov 30	" " 6 " " "
1884 Jany 4	18	Dec 31	Shipment No. 7. " " "
Feb 5	137	Feb 1	Do. " 8, " " "

1884, Mch, Apl May June, July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch 6	228	Feb 29	Shipment No. 9. U. S. Gold
19	267	Mch 15	Shipment No. 10. " " "
Apl 4	308	Mch 31	Shipment No. 11. " " "
21	379	16	Shipment No. 12 " " " Repmt packages #13, 814, Separately.
May 5	403½	Apl 30	Shipment No 13 U.S. Gold
21	444	May 17	Shipment No 14 " " "
June 4	476	May 31	Shipment No 15 " " "
9	483	June 4	Enclosing checks for Wm J McComas Storekeper, Philips & Jacobs, & Bullock, Crenshaw in paymt of Bill for Supplies,
20	532	16	Sends draft for $23.00. to Hartman Bro & Co.
20	533	16	Shipment No 16 U.S Gold
July 2	566	28	Shipment No 17 " " "
23	650	July 19	Shipment No 1 " " "
28	664	23	Shipment No 2 " " "
Aug 5	692	Aug 1st	Shipment No 3 " " "
22	731	18	Shipment No 4 " " "

1884 Sept - Nov - 1885 Jan - Feb - April.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
5	766	1st	Shipment No 5 U.S. Gold
20	798	15	Shipment No 6 " " "
22 Nov	886	17 Nov	Forwards Shipment No 8 " "
11	937	5	Forwards Shipment No 9, one box Short in weight
21 Dec	981	17	Forwarded Shipment No 10 Gold Bullion
3	1015	29	Forwards Shipment No 11 " "
22 Jan	1077	15 Jan	Forwards Shipment No 12 gold bullion.
9 Feb	37	5 Feb	Forwards Shipment No 13 - - - -
4	128	31 Feb	Forwards Shipment No 14 - - -
4	229	28	Forwards Shipment No 15 - - -
	April		
6	323	2	Forwards shipment No 16 of Gold Bullion.
	May.		
5	468	1	Forwards shipment No 17 of Gold Bullion
	June		
2	473	may 29	Shipment No 18.
	July		
7	579	1	Shipment No 19 of Gold Bullion
	August		
4	712	July 31	Forwards shipment No 1 of Gold Bullion.
15	787	10	Sends shipment No 2 of Gold Bullion.

1885 August

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
15	788	10	Will you advise by wire if there is any wide variation in bars from this Mint
24	817	18	Package of Bullion which we advised you of on the 10th did not go until yesterday the 17-
24	823	18	Sends shipment No 3 of Gold Bullion.
28	825¼	24	Sends shipment No 4 of Gold Bullion.
Sept 4	838½	31	Sends shipment No 5 of Gold Bullion.
4	838A	31	Thanks for attention to my request of 10 inst.
			September.
11	896	7	Statement of shipment No 7.
18	943	14	Statement of shipment No 8 of Gold Bullion
23	908	19	Memo of Shipment No 8. requests for separate Assay on certain bars.
	950	28	Asking for opinion on the necessity of a Mint at Denver. Colo.
Oct 5	963	30	Acknowledging receipt of check for $179.52 value of 3.85 oz of fine Gold.
			October.
5	976	1	Statement of Shipment No 9 of Gold Bullion
13	1024	9	Treat 2 Bars Bullion same as any other deposit.
17	1049	12	Concerning the complaint of C. Routh of loss in Melting

1885 October. November. Dec. 1886. Jan.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
30	2004	26	Relation to difference in valuation of Deposits in Philad & Denver Mints.
Nov 3	2014	30	Relative to discrepency in Assays
3	2014½	30	Please forward to Director letter misdirected to Philad. Thanks for information about Mr Chas Roth.
			December.
Nov 30	21m2	4	Sends clipps from Bars of Gold Bullions.
1886 Jan.		Dec	
4	2287	31	Wishes separate Memos.
		Jan	
25	2365	21	Asks for complete schedule of Charges on Bullion sent from Mint on Govt a/c.
			April.
5.	2648	31	Would be obliged to Supt for a Statement of amt of Colorado Gold bought in 1885, & also name & P.O. address of the Sellers.

1883, July, Aug, Sept, Dec. 1884, Feb July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
July 16	760	July 14	Ships 95,944 Ozs Silver Bullion on T.O. #11,378.
21	782	20	Enclosing Letter from B. F. Martin, M & R. giving the origin of the Silver Shipped on T.O. 11378.
Aug 17	873	Aug 15	Rec'd package by Express. Without accompanying order by remittance therefor.
Sept 22	975	Aug 31	Introducing D. J. Seligman.
Dec 5	1183	Dec 4	Wants $45. p.p. coins &c, under C. O. D.
22	1227½	20	Wants $30. in ½'s & ¼'s of 1883. C.O.D.
1884.			
Feb 19	186	Feb 16	Invoice of Silver Bar transmitted to the Phila Mint, T.O. 11784.
July 12	600	July 11	Invoice of Silver Bars transferred to the Phila Mint T.O. 12.046.
Feb 17	1885	Feb 14	Sends Omaha Bar No 16929, by Adams Express.

1885 October. December: 1886. Jan. Feby.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
16	1044	15	Transmits invoice Silver Bars in paymt of T. O. No 12.902.
Dec.		Dec.	
28	2260	26	Transmits invoice of Silver Bars in payment of Transfer Order No 13043.
1886 Jan			January
		Jan	
14	2329	13	Transmits Invoice of Silver Bars. in payment of T.O. 13074. to Mint at Phila.
			February
11	2421	10	Transmits Invoice of Silver Bars in payment of T.O. no 13115.
19	2445	18	Transmits Invoice, of Silver Bars, in payment of T.O. no. 13.123.
			March
13	2546	12	Transmits Invoice of Silver Bars in payment of T.O. no. 13160.
25	2602	24	Sends Invoice of Silver Bars in payment of T.O. no 13175. $123.369.41.
			April.
5	2647	31	Forwards. Shipment No 19. Gold Bullion.
27	2761	26.	Transmits Invoice of Silver Bars in payment of T.O. no 13220. $99.452.56.

1883, March, Apl May,

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch		Mch	
12	260	10	Shipment No. 8, U.S. Gold.
19	287	16	Shipment No. 9, U.S. Gold.
26	321	24	Shipment No. 10. U.S. Gold.
April		Mch	
2	335	31	Shipment No. 11, U.S. Gold.
7	365	5	Shipment No. 12. " " "
14	393	12	Shipment No. 13. " " "
19	421¾	16	Shipment No. 14, " " "
21	433	11	Returns Mem. of Shipment as requested. Forwarded missent Mem. to Denver Mint.
May		Apl	
3	474	30	Shipment No. 15, U.S. Gold.
		May	
7	483	5	Shipment No. 16, " " "
16	522	14	Shipment No. 17, " " "
17	522a	15	Shipment No. 18, " " "
28	564	26	Shipment No. 19, " " "
June		May	
2	579	31	Shipment No. 20. " " "
16	654	13	Shipment No. 21, " " "
29	705	27	Shipment No. 22, " " "
July		July	
11	748	9	Shipment No. 23, " " "
16	761	13	Shipment No. 24, " " "

1883, July, Aug. Sept, Oct Nov. Dec

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
July 23	785	July 21	Shipment No. 25, U.S. Gold
Aug 2	820	July 31	Shipment No. 26, " " "
13	861	Aug 11	Shipment No. 27, " " "
16	871	14	Shipment No. 28, " " "
Sept 3	908	Aug 31	Shipment No. 29, " " "
14	947½	12	Shipment No. 30. " " "
24	979	20	Shipment No. 31, " " "
Oct 2	995	Sept 29	Shipment No. 32, " " "
15	1033	13	Shipment No. 33. " " "
Nov 2	1080	Oct 31	Shipment No. 34, " " "
14	1104	Nov 12	Shipment No. 35. " " "
15	1121	13	Shipment No. 36. " " "
15	1122	13	Asking for dup. Mem. of Assay of Sweep Bar, July 10.
23	1155	20	Shipment No. 37. U.S. Gold
Dec 4	1178	Nov 30	Do. " 38, " " "
17	1216½	Dec 15	Do. " 39, " " "
24	1232	22	Do. " 40, " " "

1884. January, Feb. Mch. Apr, May, June,

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Janᵉ 2	4	Dec 31	Shipment No. 1, U. S. Gold.
21	75	19	Shipment No. 2. " " "
21	76	19	Shipment No. 2. " " "
Feb. 2	130	Janᵉ 31	Shipment, No. 3, " " "
16	173	Feb 14	Shipment No. 4. " " "
Mch 3	219	Feb 29	Shipment No. 5, " " "
17	262	Mch 13	Shipment No. 6. " " "
22	274	20	Shipment No. 7, " " "
Apr 3	301	Apr 1	Shipment No. 8. " " "
12	340	10	Shipment, No. 9, " " "
14	344	12	Shipment No. 10. " " "
17	360	15	Shipment No. 11. " " "
28	391	24	Shipment No. 12 " " "
May 2	397	April 30	Shipment No 13 " " "
8	413	May 30	Returns as requested c/o No 12
14	427	12	Shipment No 14 U S. Gold
19	439	17	Shipment No 15 U S Gold
June 2	470	May 30	Shipment No 16 U S Gold

1884 June July - August - Sept - Oct

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June 9	484	June 6	Shipment No 17 U.S Gold
16	515	13	Shipment No 18 U.S Gold
16	516	14	Sends one box bullion belonging to Sweep account for 1883:84 - to be coined and deposited as directed
27	554	25	Shipment No 19. U.S Gold
July 3	573	July 1	Asking for Copies of Circulars
3	582	3	Transmitting Mem #20 U.S Gold
17	622½	15	Shipment No 21 " " "
Aug 4	688	Aug 2	Shipment " 22 " " "
11	708	7	Shipment " 23 " " "
16	723	14	Shipment " 24 " " "
Sept 1	750	Aug 29	Sends by Reg Mail for redemption Mut Coin
2	752	30	Shipment No 25 U.S Gold
6	767	4	Shipment No 26 " " "
8	768	5	If coin sent for redemption is Stella separate please return to Me -
15	781	13	Encloses Statement of Shipment No 27
Oct 2	823	Sept 30	Encloses Mem of Bullion Shipped for Coinage on Government Account.

1884 October. Nov Dec 1885. January - Feb-

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
2	824	Sept 30	Requests that Bar No 466 be assayed before it is thrown into the melt pot-
10	842	7	Transmitting Mem Shipment of Gold Bullion No 29. on Government account-
17	863	15	Transmitting Mem Shipment No 30 Gold bullion
Nov 6	920	Oct 31	Transmitting Mem Shipment No 31 - -
10	936	8	Transmitting Mem Shipment No 32 - -
15	962	13	Transmitting Mem Shipment No 33 - -
28	1001	26	Transmitting Mem Shipment No 34 - -
Dec 8	1040	Dec 6	Sends Shipment No 35 Gold bullion
24	1085	20	Sends Shipment No 36 - -
26	1089	24	Sends Shipment No 37 - - -
Jan 2	1	31	In bullion Shipment No 36, three buttons were omitted, forwarded them this day-
9	35	7	Forwards Shipment No 1 Gold bullion
16	66	13	Forwards Shipment No 2 " "
Feb- 2	120	Jan 31	Forwards Shipment No 3 " "
2	121	31	Recd 6. P. Silver, send the 6. P. Gold by Reg Mail or by G. B Hanna Assay Commissioner-
12	160	9	Forwards Shipment No 4 " "

1885 Febr - March - April - May

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
27 March	209	24	Shipment No 4 U. S. Gold
2	217	28	Sends Shipment No 6 " " "
9	245	7	Enclosing statement of Shipment #7, Gold bullion
12	250	10	Transmitting Memo No 8 Bullion Shipment
21	285	19	Enclosing statement of Shipment No 9 of Gold bullion
26	296½	25	Enquiries about registered packages of Chemicaley pure gold
30	304	27	Acknowledges receipt of Gold, per Mail
30	305	27	Enclosing statement of Shipment No 10
April 6	322	3	Enclosing Mem. of Bullion shipment No 11.
9	336	7	Encloses statement of shipment No 12 of Gold Bullion
May - 4	404	April 30	Enquires for a die sinker Steel Stamp wanted
4	405	30	Transmitting Memo. No 13. Gold Bullion
June 2	474	May 30	Transmitts Memo of Shipment No 13
8	500	4	Transmits memo of Shipment No 16 Gold Bullion
15	519	13.	Encloses Memo. of Receipts 1884 & 5
29	684	27	Transmitting Memo No 19 of Gold Bullion

1885 July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
6	576	6	Transmits Memo of Shipment No 19 of Gold Bullion on Govr a/c.
10	595	7	Transmits Memo of Shipment No 20. of Gold Bullion.
			August.
3	706	July 31	Transmitts memo No. 21 of Gold Bullion for coinag on Govr. a/c.
10	743	7	Transmits notice of Memorandum of Shipment of Gold Bars.
Del 2	838¼	31	Memo No 23 of Gold Bullion.
			September.
7	886	4	Encloses statement of Shipment No 24 of Gold Bullion.
9	Copy 89 7	7	Relative to Assay Furnace.
14	933	12	Sends Shipment No 25 of Gold Bullion
19	960	16	Has Memo of Shipment been rec'd.
	960½	29	
23	912	21	Memo of Shipment No 23. recd.
30	912½	28	More about Melting Furnace.
			October.
3	9 7/2	2	Enclosing Memo No 26 Gold Bullion
10	1009	8	Enclosing statement of Shipment No 27 of Gold Bullion

1885 October. November: December: 1886. Jan. Feb.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
	1042	16	Forwards Shipment No 28.
2	1043	31	Enclosing memo No 29.
			November.
9	2055	6	Transmitting Memo No 30 Gold Bullion.
			December
3	21[illegible]3		Encloses statement of Shipment No 36 of Gold Bullion on Govt a/c.
3	21[illegible]4	4	Forwards Shipment No 33 of Gold Bullion.
5	21[illegible]9	5	Forwards shipment No 34 of Gold Bullion.
18	2236	15	Forwards Shipment No 35.
1886			
Jan		Jan	January.
8	2304	6	Encloses Mem. of Shipment. No 1—86 of Gold. Bullion.
11	2313	9	Enclosing Statem't of Shipment No. 2. Gold Bullion
			February
1	2387	29	Encloses statement of Shipment No. 3. of Bullion.
10	2416½	8	Encloses statement of Shipment 4 of Bullion.
19	2444	18	Says that in Ship'g Bul. on 17th he sent by mistake a small package of Gold Dep'a for assay instead of the clippings wants it returned by registered mail. Send clippings today.

1886. February. March.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
23	2453	19	Begs that Supt will cause calculations to be made anew in the case of Shipment No 4. (mem. no 264, By their calition. gold in. 1 & 2 melts. amt to 2 dollars more each
23	2456	20	In regard to the error in Clp's
			March.
1	2473	27	Enclosing Shipment Statement No 6 of Gold Bullion.
6	2499	5	Encloses Statement of Shipment No 7 of Gold Bullion.
24	2596	17	Encloses Statement of Shipment No 8. Gold Bullion.
			April.
3	2640	31.	Forwards Shipment No 9. Gold Bullion.
9	2686	8	Ack. of receipt of Letter notifying him of receipt of No. 9. Gold Bull. & calling his attention to discrepancy of weight.
12	2700	10	Forwards Shipment. No 10. Charlotte Gold.
24	2755	21	Forwards Shipment No. 11. Gold Bullion.

1883 December / 1885 Jan

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Dec 28	1239	Dec 21	Wants Statement of Gold & Bullion recd at Philadelphia from Montana in 1883, Exclusive of the Assay Office.
Feb 2	1192	Jan 24	Request that he be furnished with a statement of the Gold and Silver productions deposited (Montana productions) at your institution during Calendar year 1884.
1886			1886
			March.
31	2622	25	Please forward Statement, in Standard ounces of Gold & Silver recd at yr Mint during 1885 from Montana.

U. S. Assay Office – St. Louis, Mo.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Aug 2	821	July 31	Shipment No. 4. U. S. Gold
8	843	6	Enquires about change in Gold Bullion Shipped 31st July – Mem # 1279.
Nov 15	1123	Nov 12	Shipment No 5. U. S. Gold
1884			
Jany 28	96	Jany 25	Shipment No. 6. " " "
30	107	28	Shipment No. 7. " " "
30	108	28	Shipment No. 8. " " "
Feb 6	142	Feb 4	Sends corrected Statements of Shipments No. 7, & 8. Enquiry about erroneous charge of $10.74, on # 8. –
Mch 3	218	Mch 1	Shipment No. 9. U. S. Gold.
Apl 28	392	Apl 25	Shipment No. 10. " " "
June 11	489	June 9	Shipment No 11 " " "
11	490	9	Shipment No 12 " " "
July 24	655	July 22	Shipment – 13 " " "
27	735	25	Shipment – 14 " " "
Sept 4	763	Sept 2	Shipment – 15 " " "

1884-1885 Jan March - May.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Nov 3	920	Nov 1	Sends Shipment No 16 U S Gold
Jan 9	36	Jan 9	Sends Shipment No 17 - - -
19	73	17	Sends Shipment No 18 - - -
24	97	22	Forwards Shipment No 19 - - -
30	113	28	Forwards Shipment No 20 - - -
March 2	218	28	Forwards Shipment No 21 - - -
	May.		
2	400	30	Forwards Shipment No 23.
	April		
6	324	4	Forwards Shipment No 22.
	June		
8	499	6	Shipment No 24 of Gold Bullion.
July 23	657½	21	Shipment No 25 of Gold Bullion.
23	657¼	21	Shipment No 26 of Gold Bullion.
24	662	22	Explanation why shipments no 25 & 26 were not prepaid
aug 3	701	31	Shipment No 27 Gold Bullion

1885 August September 1886. Jan.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
25	819	24	Sends shipment No 28 of Gold Bullion.
25	929½	23	Forwards shipment No. 9 -
			October
9	996	7	Sends Shipment No 30 -
			November
14	2079	12	Forwards shipment No 31. of Gold Bullion
1886			January
Jan		Jan	
12	2318	9	Shipment No 32. U. S. Gold
			February
23	2452	10	Forwards Shipment. No 33 of Gold Bullion
29	2614	26	Transmits herewith a Desp. Statement of Gold Bullion Shipped to Mint on Mch. 17. 1886.
			April.
12	2701	10	Forwards Shipment No 35. Gold Bullion

U.S. Assay Office - Boise City, Idaho.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
	1883.		
Dec.		Dec	
13	1201	6	Shipment No. 5. Und. Gold
	1884		
Feb		Feb	
12	165	4	Shipment, No. 6. " " "
Apr		Apr	
21	368	14	Shipment No. 7, " " "
	1884		
June		May	
9	485	31	Shipment No 8 -----
July		June	
19	638	30	Shipment No 9 -----
Aug		July	
1	678	25	Forwarded Shipment No 1 ---
		Aug	
19	728	12	Informs as to disposition of proceeds of Recep Bar. forwarded last of June 1884-
Sept		Sept	
8	767½	3	Encloses Copy of a letter from the acting Director of the Mint-
Oct 3	828½	26	Forwards Shipment No 2
23	889	16	Forwards Shipment No 3.
Nov		Nov	
17	966	10	Forwards Shipment No 4
Dec			
1	1007	20	Forwards Shipment No 5
		Dec	
2	1068	1	In reference to Rolling Mills. &c
17	1068	11	Forwards Shipment No 6
Jan		Jan	
14	56	7	Forwards Shipment No 7-
Feb		Feb	
24	56½	17	Receipt Shipment No 8-
	May	April	
4	406	27	Gold shipment No 9.

May 1885 – June –

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
8	418	2	Forwards shipment No 10 of Gold Bullion.
20	537	13	Shipment No 11 of Gold Bullion.
		July	
2	567	30	Shipment No 12 of Gold Bullion.
14	607	7	Shipment No 13 of Gold Bullion.
		August.	
10	742	3	Shipment No 1 of Gold Bullions.
		October. Sept.	
17	984	30	Sends Shipment No 2.
			November.
9	2033	3	Forwards Shipment No 3 of Gold Bullion

1886. March.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
24	2597	11	Shipment Nos. Gold Bullion.
25	2601	19	Wants a Statement of Deposit in ounces & Value of Gold Bullion Recd from Idaho. During 1885.
			April.
22	2746	15	Forwards Shipment No. 6. Gold Bullion.
22	4747	15	Calls attention to erroneous Gold value stamped on Bar No. 305. Shipment No 6.

A. Louis. Boise City.

1884 May, June 1886. Jan.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 8	414	May 7	Will ship barrel of bone ash to the Denver Mint on Thursday. Wants authority to place on file
31	466	29	Order for Flag for Denver Mint
June 2	471	May 31	Forwards Receipt in duplicate for 1 Flag for Denver Mint
1886 Jan		Jan	
		Dec.	
19	2342	31	Shipment No 4. U.S. Gold

1883, October. 1884, Apl. May June July.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Oct 25 1884	1062	Oct 23	Forwards dft, No. 202111, for $185.43 for 3 Gold L. S. Medals.
Apl 9	325	Apl 8	Sends dft for $50.38, in pmt for 1 L.S. Medal (Gold) ordered March 15/84.
16	356	15	Sends dft for $29.10 in pmt for 7 Silver L. S. Medals, ordered March 15 & 17; & Apl 1/84.
May 29	463	May 27	Sends draft for $1.75 in payment for 1 L.S. Medal payable to L R Compernwaite individually
June 12	493	June 11	Returns draft $1.75, amended so as to be payable to the order of the Supt.
July 9	588	July 8	Sends draft for $3.40 for 2 P. L. P. Medals.
Aug 8	705	Aug 7	Sends draft #213026 for $48. for 1 Gold Life Saving Medal.
Dec 31	1102	Dec 30	Sends draft No 248.800, drawn on the Asst Treas at New York for $453.70 for nine Gold and Seventeen Silver Life Saving Medals
Feb 23	196	Feb 20	Sends draft No 250173 for $1.75 for Silver Medal
May 13	429	May 12	Draft #252166 for $443.67 for 9 Gold & 1 Silver Life Saving Medals.

1885 June -

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
11	504	9	Sends draft No 252.674 in payment for one (1) Gold & one (1) Silver Life saving Medal.
15	517	13	Transmits Draft 252.907 for $93.50
			September
11	913	9	Transmits Draft No 253372. for $2 for one Silver Life saving medal.

Aug. 12, 1792

Matthew Bolton - Aaron Burr

Reference to establishment of Mint in New Orleans

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1883, March, Apl

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch 9	252	Mch 7	Gen. M. C. Meigs, Wash D.C. Sends 2 Padre Island coins. Also, an Extract from Robertson's Charles V.
14	267	14	James J. Brooks, Secret Serv. Div. Wash (Tel) Address of their representative in Phila.
19	288	18	James J. Scanlon, Op. S. S. Div. Phila Rec'd 2 Letters from Jas. C. Grubb & Co about G. Schultz, Texas, &c.
21	300	20	E. M. Lawton, Disbursing Clerk, War Dept Sends dft $65.30 in pay't for 54 Bronze Medals.
22	307	21	Gen. S. V. Benet, Chf Ord, War Dept Forwards, duly signed, Vouchers for 54 Bronze Army Marksmanship Medals & cases.
22	308	21	(Same) Requisition for 60 Bronze Army Marksmanship Medals, specified, with cases.
22	309	21	A. D. Hazen, 3d Asst P.M. Genl Wash. Sends $1.31 in mutilated Coin.
Apl 7	366	Apl 6	Albert Williams for U.S. Geol. Survey Thanks for Nickel Statistics furnished.
14	394	13	Gen. S. V. Benet, War Dept When may Bronze Medals, Ord'd Feb. 17, be Expected?

1883, April, May, June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apr 17	406	Apr 16	Gen S. V. Benet, War Dept Rec'd Bronze Army Markmanship Medals, & returned Vouchers
23	438	21	E. M. Lawton, Dist. Clk War Dept Sends dft $61.90, for Bronze Medals, cases &c, rec'd.
25	443	24	Gen S. V. Benet, War Dept Rec'd 50 Bronze Army Markmanship Medals. Returns Voucher, Signed
May 5	478	May 4	Codet Taylor, Chf Clk Pub. Printer Deposits Waste Gold Leaf, for Returns by check.
June 9	623	June 7	H. S. Huidekoper P. M. Phila Enquiries for unpaid M. O. $20. Mch 7/83 in favor of F. W. Harrington, Worcester, Mass. [M. O. rec'd & collected Mch 8/83]
July 7	735	July 7	Gen S. V. Benet, War Dept Returns Army Markmanship Medal Vouchers - June 28.
9	736	6	E. M. Lawton, Dist. Clk, War Dept Returns Vouchers for Medals rec'd
16	759	14	(Same) Sends dft $1,632.65 in payt for Gold & Silver Markmanship Medals rec'd

1883, July, Sept, Oct Dec.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
July 24	791	July 23	Public Printer, Cadet Taylor, Chf Clk Deposits 2 pkgs Gold Leaf for Coinage. [Express rec't for proceeds, filed therein.]
Sept 14	938	Sept 13	James J. Brooks, Chf. Sec. Sew. Div. The character & Standing of Hemenway & Brown, Boston, Agents of the Bolivian Government.
19	964	18	(Tel) McGillicuddy, Indian Agent Valentine, Neb. Has 10,000 in Silver been shipped? If not, how soon?
Oct 4	1003	Oct 1	Cadet Taylor, Chf Clk Pub. Printer Forwards waste Gold Leaf, for Coinage.
✓17" Nov. 29	1160½	28	Hon. Justin S. Morrill, U.S. Senate. Sends copy of proposed Coinage Bill, & invites comment.
Dec 3	1066	Nov 28	Jas. J. Brooks Chf. S. S. Div. Sends defective 5 ¢ coin for Examination. A good one to be returned to J. Horace Kent, Portsmouth, N.H.
12	1197	Dec 11	(Same) Has instructed Agent to look after Counterfeiters at Turbutville, Pa.
15	1210	14	(Same) Refining Letter of W. Hall Chicago District, Sending a Nickel for examination.
✓ And. L. Drummond. Nov 17/83	1130½	9	copy Testimony as to the authority of Hemenday & Brown Boston to contract for the execution of Bolivian Coinage

1884, January 1 to

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Jany 3	10	Jany 2	Joseph Nimmo Jr Chief of Bureau of Statistics. Forwards certain Tables of Statistics.
23	81	22	Andw. D. Drummond Asst. N. Y. A. S. Thanks for Report that certain Nickels were genuine.
Feb 1	123	Jany 31	Lieut. A. Brown Chf Clk, State Dept Requisitions for 20 Gold U. S. Medals, Regulation pattern.
7	145	Feb 6	(Same) Wants cases & riders, with the 20 Gold U. S. Medals, ordered Jany 31/84
8	157	7	Frederick Eckfeldt, Wash'n D.C. Sends Tables ratios of Gold & Silver, 1760 to 1883. From 1876 to 1883, calculations are based upon the Cable rates from London.
11	160	10	Andw. D. Drummond, N.Y. Asst. U.S. Treas. Sends 4 half Nickels for further examination.
18	177	16	Frederick Eckfeldt, Mint Bureau Sends for part, Bill of Expenses in attending Annual Assay
19	184	18	(Same) Sends Tables, Fineness & Val. of Foreign Coins, Calculated in grammes.

1884, February Mch.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Feb. 19	185	Feb 18	W. P. Lawver Mint Bureau Sends for pay't, Bill of Expenses in attending Annual Assay.
21	193	20	Frederick Eckfeldt, Mint Bureau Rec'd $25.77 Expenses to Annual Assay. Returns Warrant Signed.
25	199	23	W. P. Lawver, Mint Bureau Rec'd $27.60, amt of Expenses to Annual Assay.
25	200	23	F. J. Koeckhofer Dept of State, Wash D.C. Chief of Bureau & D.C. Returns Vouchers & Sends dft $506.50, in payment for 20 Gold Shipwreck Medals.
28	205	27	A. Vignas, P.M. - Canton, O. Reports receipt of missent Registered letter for Geo. A. Guernsey Cas. First Nat. Bk.
Mch 4	225	Mch 3	W. P. Lawver, Mint Bureau Sends 100.30, ozs. Silver Bullion. Wants dft for the value. (Private account)
12	252	11	(Same) Has Silver Bar been overlooked.
18	265	7	Robert T. Lincoln, Sec'y of War (Circular) Which of the first 5 Vols. of the "Off. Records, War of the Rebellion" have been received by the Mint.

1884, Mch, Apl, May.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch 19	268	Mch 1	H. S. Huidekoper P.M. Phila (Circular) Rates for Boxes in the New Post Office. No charge will be made for the Mint Box.
Apl 12	343	Apl 10	(Same) The 50 cents deposited for Keys, to free Boxes, will be refunded, upon application.
23	374	22	Benjn Harris Brewster Atty Genl Pleads for Miss Todd's retention while in Hospital.
26	390	25	(Same) Thanks for compliance with his request.
May 14	429	May 13	E M Lawtown Disbursing Clerk War Dept", sends draft for $1.758.49, in payment for Army Marksmanship Medals
15	431	13	Genl S. V. Benet Chief of Ordnance, returns Medal Vouchers signed in duplicate
31	465	27	John Davis Ass't Sec'ty of State, proposed visit of the Siamese Embassy to the Mint
31	467	31	Banking Dep't Office Sergeant at Arms H of R Washington D.C. M. C. Curtis Paying Teller, thanks for set of coins for Hon Chas M. Mitchell, Self

1884 June, July - Sept 1885 Jan. Feb.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June 21	538	June 20	Encloses draft for $235.37 for Skirmish Medals furnished to order of this Dept, Vouchers will be receipted and returned by Chief of Ordnance
21	539	20	S V Benet War Department Encloses Medal Fund Voucher signed in duplicate
July 19	639	July 18	Public Printer. Wash DC Sends package of Waste Gold leaf, when will the proceeds be sent on -
Sept 1	748	Aug 30	A L Drummond Secret Service Div N Y Wants 100 Gold dollars for a Wedding present
Dec 8	1041	Dec 6	Office of Public Printer Sends package of Gold leaf weighing Seven and a half pounds requests that it be smelted and proceeds return
13	1041½	12	In reference to $1381 light weight sent by Mt Vern Natl Bk
16	1063	15	Office of Public Printer Referring to package of material sent to be smelted satisfied that the proceeds received are correct
30	1096	27	D W Flagler Lieut Col Rock Island Arsenal Requests, proposition to furnish him with about 100 pounds rolled silver plate -
Jan 16	65	Jan 15	Joseph Foster Paymaster U.S. Naval Asylum Requesting Minor Coin in exchange of Gold
20	79	20	Joseph Foster Paymaster Recd letter of 17th inst advising me that I can procure 1 or 5¢ pieces -
Feb 4	127	Feb 3	Dept of Interior Office of Indian Affairs The claim of $37.75 in favor of U S Mint has been examined and approved -

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Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
10	154	9	S V Benet, Chief of Ordnance Sends duplicate Medal fund Vouchers for one Gold, first prize Army Division Marksmanship Medal
10	155	6	Lt Col D W Flagler Sample of Silver bullion received for Assay-
10	156	6	Lt Col D W Flagler Will you Assay piece of Silver furnished for Sterling and give statement per centage of Silver-
13	165	10	Thanks for Assay of Sample of Silver sent you
16	167	13	Sends 3 Samples of Cuttings for Assay-
17	173	14	2nd Auditor Offic Treasury Department Your claim for $37.75 for 5 bronze, Arthur Indian Peace Medals, was allowed Feb 5th
23	194	19	Lt Col D W Flagler Thanks for your kind offer to assay Samples of Silver
23	195	20	Lt Col D W Flagler Thanks for Assay of 3 strips of Silver-
April			E. O. Jewett
6	324	4	Forwarded shipment- No 22 of Gold Dullion
24	378	23	Department of State Washington D.C. The Seal of the U.S. is now in use in the Department
May.			Lt Col D W Flagler.
7	416	4	Incloses one piece for assay & requests answer by wire.

1885 June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
1	472	May 28	Sevellon & Brown Dpt of State Washington D.C. Ordering 100 Life saving Medals.
15	578	12	M. E. Bell. Supervising Architect. Requests acknowledgement of Book of instructions.
8	367	8	John K. Valentine. U.S. Attorney In relation to Silver Bars stolen from the Mint reason why Daley was not brought to trial.
July 16	620	15	E. M. Lawton Sends Draft for 1.664.74 for Marksmanship Medals.
August 5	723	4	Geo. Eyster Asst. Treas. U.S. Philad^a Relative to size of Vault in Post Office Building 492 Square Feet.
5	724	4	Same Relative to P.O. Vaults.
14	778	13	M. E. Bell. Unable to meet Mr Kimball yourself tomorrow but will see you on Tuesday next.

1885 * September. October

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Oct 1	951	28	Bell M.E. Relative to Time Locks on Vaults in new P.O. & if you wish them to be set to open the 3d day
10	1010	9	Lor. J.P. Asst. Sup Architect. Relative to Time Locks on Vaults in P.O. they have been sent to the care of the Custodian
28	1088	5	D. Lynch Pringle U.S. Consulate Honduras Wishes to know if the Government will coin pieces as enclosed sample.
16	2083	13	John K. Valentine Relative to mooring bars.
Sept. * Sept. Continued			
2	857½	2	M. H. Cobb. In regard to Vogel.
			November.
			Wm Grew. Assistant Solicitor.
27	2138½	27	Relative to Soldiers & Sailors discharged from Mint.
			December
8	2184½	8	Wm Grew. Assl Solicitor Relative to Soldiers & Sailors discharged from Mint.

1886. February. March.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
16	2432	15	W. P. Lawver. Mint Bureau. Enclosed find Statement of expenses incurred while in attendance at Annual Assay. Send chk for amt.
26	2466½	25	M. E. Bell. - Super. Architect. Upon the proposed enlargement of the Mint. Asks Supt to obtain at the earliest date, a Statement as to the cost of the property lying West, between the present Mint & Broad St.
26	2466¾	25	M. E. Bell. Super. Architect. Encloses to Hon Saml. J. Randall, an act of Congress upon the enlargement of the Mint.
			March.
5	2493	4	J. N. Marshall. Quarter-Masters Office. U.S.A. Encloses receipt in duplicate for Public Property turned over by Supt to this Office for transportation to U.S. Mint at San Franco. Call.
30	2617	29	J. S. McCalmont. Com of Customs Adjusted, acct for one Life Saving Medal. $47.25.
			April.
12	2699½	10	Frank Heath. Chief of Ordnance Invoice of Stores & Ordnance "turned over" to Danl. M. Fox. Supt of Phila Mint.

1883, Feb. March, Apr

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Feb. 1, Mch	120½	Feb. 1. Mch	Deaths, Resignations & discharges, Mch 3/79 to Feb 1/83. (F. N. Thompson)
7	243	7	A. Loudon Snowden, & Wash D.C. (Tel) Ship W. H. Bayne's 5 ¢ tomorrow.
7	244	7	Ellis Pugh, Adj. Weights & Scales Certifies accuracy of (Troemmis) Grain weights for Carson Mint.
13	265	12	Ira S. Morey, N. W. Wants 15 days leave of absence on a/c of his Wife's illness.
14	268	14	M. H. Cobb, Cashier, Impracticability of certain Monthly Reports of Coin transactions required by the Director of the Mint.
16	273½	16	L. R. Cowperthwaite, Will report for duty, to morrow.
20	293	20 (2 tels)	A. L. Snowden, Cincinnati, O. (Tel) Telegraph to "Galt House", Louisville, Ky.
26	320	25	(Same) New Orleans, La. (Tel) Tel. condition of affairs. Message for Geo. Beatty.
31	332	30	(Same) Jacksonville, Fla. (Tel) Arrived - improved. Telegraph condition of affairs.
31	333	31	(Same) (Same place) (Tel) Tel. amt of month's Coinage, & if all is well at home.
Apr 6	361	Apr 5	(Same) Charleston, S. C. (Tel) Leave this Evening. Reach Phila, Saturday 10:42.

1883, April, May, June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl		Apl	James. C. Eyster
21	435	21	Shortage & Counterfeits on T.O. 11219, Minor Coins from Treas, U.S.
May 10	499	May 8	Ira S. Morey, Night Watchman Resignation.
19	532	19	Wm. H. Banks, Capt Night Watch Reports W. B. Sloan, & Gustav Reichart, for neglect of duty & Smoking.
25	552	25	D. A. Wertz, Conductor. Desires Leave of absence during August /83, to attend conclave of Knights Templars at San Francisco, Cal.
+ 31	571	30	A. L. Snowden, Supt, Boston, Mass. (Tel) If necessary telegraph to the Revere House.
25	452½	24	J. L. LeConte, Under medical advice, continued ill health compels him to apply for Leave of Absence until October,
June 2	580	June 2	(Tel) A L Snowden, Boston, Mass Will be home Monday morning.
2	581	2	(Tel) W. U. Tel. Co Can't find A. L. S.
11	628	11	Geo. W. Brown Thanks for appt as Door Keeper.
15	657	15	Samuel James, Foreman Machine Shop Will make repairs promptly. Force insufficient

1883. June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
June 18	660	June 18	Jno. L. McGinnis, Chief Engineer Repairs suggested.
18	661	13	James B. Cowden, Master Carpenter We need all the men now employed in the Laborer's dept
~~19~~	~~662~~	~~18~~	~~Annual Statement of Earnings and Expenditures to show separately amt paid by the Mint, and the amt paid by the Dept.~~
~~19~~	~~663~~	~~18~~	~~Supt authorized to procure a Genl Ledger in Phila~~ ~~If desired will send printed headings of a Journal-Ledger prepared by the Book Keeper of the San Francisco Mint.~~
19	665	19	Samuel Jones, Foreman Machine Shop Repairs suggested.
26	689	26	(Same) Recommends the Blackman exhaust Ventilator for the Rolling Room.
July 6	731	July 6	(Same) Desires concrete floor Machine Shop.
7	734½	7	A L Snowden - East Douglass, Mass (Tel) Secure 50 copies more of "Eng Tel" with Trade Dollar article.
24	790	24	(Same) Haverford College Pa (Tel) Send letters, papers to [illegible]

1883, July, Aug, Sept, Oct Nov

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
July 25	795	July 25	A L Snowden, Hav'f'd College (Tel) Send Geo Beatty with Letters &c, except things to be signed.
31	809	31	(Same) Reading, Pa. (Tel) Will be at the Mint at 6.20 today. Have Lobo and Sayres wait till I come.
Aug 4	834	Aug 4	(Same) Hotel Kaaterskill (Tel) Send, each day, important Letters & papers. Wants a certain book.
Sept 14	948	Sept 1	Samuel A. Heins - Plumber Reports trial of Sleeman's Gas Governors; & recommends that they be placed on every meter in the Mint.
13	940½	13	Resignation of John L. LeConte, Book Keeper. Not accepted.
24	980	24	Pauline Higley, Helper Guil dept Resignation.
Oct 2	996	Oct 2	Samuel James, Foreman Machine Shop New hobs needed for knowling the periphery of Collars.
28	1068½	28	Miss C. C. Thorn Thanks of the Mint Ladies, for Bi-Centennial privileges.
Nov 14	1115	Nov 14	R. A. McClure, Curator Cabinet Recommends 1. The alteration of all the coin cases to correspond with the Centre cases. 2. The flat cases to have 1 thick, instead of 2 thin panes of glass. 3. The printing of a number of labels.

1883, December, 1884, Jany, Feb Apr

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Dec 19	1219	Dec 19	Ellis Pugh, Adjuster of Scales. The Troy platform Scales Worn out & should be sold.
28	1239½	28	Mrs A. Bartlett, Chief of Helpers. Bad cold until Monday.
1884.			
Jany 3	12	Jany 3	Geo. B. Soley, Reports destruction of Dies of 1883.
10	43	10	Frank E. Moran, Night Watch. Watch Clock needs repairing.
31	113	30	W. H. Banks, Capt Night Watch. Number of Stations missed during the last 6 mos. by the Night, and Sunday Watch.
Feb 4	135	Feb. 4	O. B. Jones, Abstract Clerk. 1. Bar Charges, 17 July 83, was wrong. 2. The method of Calculating the Alloy Charges was prescribed by the Assayer.
7	147	7	Ellis Pugh, Adjuster of Scales. Has tested & verified a set of least current weights for the Secy Treasy.
Apr 18	365	Apr 12	W. H. Banks, Capt N. M. Electric Clock very satisfactory, but the buttons sometimes stick.
May 2	397½	May 2	Report count of Minor Coins in J. C. Eyster's Vault

1884 May, June July Nov

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 7	412	May 7	Nathan S Beekley. returns thanks for his appointment in Coinage room
13	425	10	W H Banks. Captain N W. new button in and Electric apparatus appears to work satisfactory
June 21	484½	June 21	Resignation of L R Cowperthwaite as Chief Clerk
14	508	12	L R Cowperthwaite asks for extension of leave of absence
27	555	27	M H Cobb Cashier Received $434.50 sent by Balbach & Son for sweeps -
July 3	574	July 3	H. C. Hickok Chief Clerk Recommends that the proposal for lumber of Thomas Williams Jr & Co be accepted -
7	584	June 26	Samuel James Foreman Machinist Requests approval for the purchase of a new Slotting Machine -
10	593	10	A. B. Corson Foreman Blacksmith Requests transfer of Chas A Carpenter, unfit for work -
14	609	14	John L McGinnis Engineer Reports the number of lamps at present time
16	619	15	John Owen - Chief Inspector, Boiler Inspection * Reports Condition of Boiler in Mint at Phila
14	850	14	Samuel James Foreman Machine Shop Recommends C. Mos trial of the Germicide
			John L McGinnis Chief Engineer Requests that the Old Boilers be replaced by New Ones, having been 15 years in use -

1884 - July 1885 Jan - Feb -

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
July		July	John McGinnis
23	650½	23	Recommends the removal of two boilers -
30	1097	29	In reference to communication from Mr O B Jones, Mr Eyster and others with regard to Radiator in their room -
Jan		Dec	John L McGinnis
3	11	29	In regard to skilled Mechanics performing laboring work -
			D W Flagler Lieut Col of Ordnance
5	20	2	Thanks for kind letter, desires to know what price he should pay other parties for rolled silver -
9	38	9	M H Cobb Cashier
			We now have $6000 in Nickels and $3000 in bronze, in excess of Orders -
9	39	5	Directs attention to the fact that the Vault room for storage is nearly exhausted
21	85	21	Ellis Pugh, Adjuster of Scales & Weights - Asks that a new set of standard Weights be procured
23	92	23	M H Cobb Cashier
			In shipment of 50,000 Std Sil dollars, two pieces were found on floor of Vault -
Feb		Feb	
2	122	2	Furnishes statement of Amount of Gold and Silver production (Montana) during Calendar Year 1884 -
			Ellis Pugh
			Recommends that 8 worn out balances and the two feet beams formerly used by Weigh Clerk, be condemned and sold as old Material, Encloses letter from Henry Traemner

1885 April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
20	360	20	Resignation of Israel Whittaker
7	328½	7	Ellis Pugh Adjuster of Scales. Suggests that the large Balance in use in the transfer room should be sent to the original Manufacturer for repair.
May			
21	449	21	M. H. Cobb. Cashier. Depositors request notes for Gold bars.
June			John McGinnis
8	498	6	Wants new injector.
9	501	9	Same Removal of Grier recommended.
19	532	19	What is to be done with Transfer Letter 35367 for $500 to Col M. Willard Aurora Ill. Adams Express agent Telegraphs no such party there.
			Same.
23	561	23	An Asphaltum pavement needed in the Cart way on the west side of the Mint.
July			
9	593	9	Saml James Memo. with regards to proposed strain upon rollers
14	608½	13	Garrison & Co. Relative to chilled rolls. *
16	620	15	E. M. Lawnton Sends Draft for $1664.74 for Marksmanship Medals
17	626½	17	Thomson. K. Her resignation

1885 July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
			Date. No. Date. Submits suggestions touching the Sunday watch.
16	621	16	Cobb. 29. 679½. 29. Cobb. Balance in Centennial Bank $750
23	658½	23	A. M. Ingram. Ill. 28. 684½. 28. Heins. Calls attention to duties of a Plumber.
16	623	16	Mc Ginnis. Edward S Steir not at work
August			July 18. 644½. Pugh. E. Asks Leave of absence
7	733	6	Kate Thompson. Resigning her position as an Adjuster.
7	733½	7	Cobb. In regard to watch & steel plate.
7	734	7	Capt Banks. Night Watch. Relative to Springfield Rifles & ammunition
12	764	11	Number of Fire arms in his possession.
13	768½	13	Agnes. Asks that Mr C may proceed with alterations
15	786	15	John McGinnis. Report as to sale of old material.
17	792½	17	T. Moran. Wants Leave of absence.
18	793	18	M. H. Cobb. Cashier. Average daily delivery of S. S. @. 77.000
22	807½	22	Requisite daily output of Standard Dols. for remainder of Aug.
29	830	29.	Lizzie L. Banes. Resigns her position.
31	836	31	Ellis Pugh. Remedies the defect in Large balance of the M & R.
			September.
1	849	1	Resignation of Thos. N. Ackley.
1	838½	1	Cobb. Assuming Coinage of S. S. Ds required for Sept. will be same as for July & August. 1.300.000. The daily delivery must be about $70000
7	895	7	M. H. Cobb. Cashier. Current rate of Coinage.
	895½	8	Condew his resignation
9	912	9	Same. At the present rate of Coinage the storage facilities of the vaults will be exhausted by the End of the Month.
11	916½	11	Case & Mesick. Ill.

1885 September – October.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
14	946	14	Saml H. Heins. Plumber. Relative to Electric going out.
16	956½	16	Cobb Average daily delivery of S.D's. for remaining 12 working days should be $62.500.
21	911	21	M. H. Cobb. Relative to missing Book of Geo. Eyster.
19	980½	19	Cobb. In regard to Thorp & the Sunday night watch.
24	931	24	Same. Only 1.700 of minor coins on hand Must resume coinage
16	952½	15	Hifferty — His resignation.
24	932½	24	Saml James Sends inventory of Machines with names of maker & time of use.
18	969½	18.	I. R. Dunglison. His resignation.
26	945	26	M. H. Cobb. Relative to cost of Labor for first two months of fiscal year 1885.
	939¾		S Tomlinson. A. Randall. The Ladies propose taking an oath.
26	947	26	Capt. Banks Wishes increase of number of Night Watch.
* 3			October
6	977	6	Saml. James. Transmits inventories of machinery & Plans.
* 3	972½	3	M. H. Cobb. List of Sunday Watch.
*9 10	1011	10	Sunday Watch for Oct. 11. 85.
* 9	986½	9	M. H. Cobb. Submits suggestion as to improvement of Officials of Mint.
12	1016	12	Eckfeldt Assayer & Cobb Cash. Report for the increase of security & Officiency in the Mint.
10	996½	10	M. H. Cobb. Assuming Quota of S.S.D for mo. to be 1.700.000 the average daily dely for 27. working days would be 63.000. — Amt deld to date $586.000. average daily $65.000.
	1017	12	T. K. Vogel. Medal Clerk His Resignation
* Oct 10. 996½ 1	963½	1	K. Marshall. About two hours over pay.
14	1031	13	Heins Wants copper wire for Electric Lights.

1885 October

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
15	1035	15	John McGinnis His Resignation.
*15	1035½	15	Dr Hutchinson. Illness of Miss Susan Dallas.
1my	1050	1my	Sunday Watch for Octo 18.
x 27	1085½	27	Cobb. Names Mrs Holley. Brinton & Brenkenhoff for Sunday watch
1my	1051	1my	Saml A. Heins Chief Engineer wants a wash basin.
26	1082½	26	Relating to Water Closets of Mint. Cobb
26	1083	26	M. H. Cobb. Estimates of space required to store S.S. D.
26	1083½	26	Cobb. Names Mr Conn. Borlek & McKean for Sunday watch.
21	1084	21	Booth. Relative to time of men on different work & taking a/c of same. /19. 1054½ Pauline M Haslet. asks an interview.
			November
3	2035	3	Cobb. Vaults are full Cant we send some Silver to Asst Treas.
	2035½	5	Cobb. Relative to P.O. Vaults.
11	2073	11	Relative to $5 Gold Piece of 1815
11	2064½	11	Arch L Vandergrift. Reports having weighed Grate Bars.
20	2106	18	L. R. Snowden. Wishes leave of absence.
14	2081½	14	Cobb. Has inspected vaults at P.O. - with remarks
	2108	19	McGinnis Reply of McGinnis endorsed on O & H Cos. bill 20 June. 85.
19	2106½	19	M. H. Cobb. Total delivery of S Ds to & including this day.
21	2109	20	Relative to B. & O. Telegraph Bill & changes on Pay Rolls
1		1	R. A. McClure. Pattern Pieces. Encloses Dr Maris Letter
24	2130	23	Ellis Pugh Adjuster of scales Weights furnished by Trueman correct.
* see page 429			
x 27	2138½	25	Jos. Knox. Miss Knox position changed to coining room
30	2157	30	Saml A. Heins His Resignation as Gas fitter U.S. Mint.

1885 December 1885. Jan.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
m	2180	m	T. J. Gibson Receipt for Arms for Guard at P.O.
3	2161½	3	Cobb. Relating to Storage of the Silver coinage. McClure Curator.
9	2190	9	Relative to quarter Eagle of 1826 offered to exchange by H.P. Newlin.
8	2185½	8	H.P. Newlin. Wishes to sell ¼ Eagle of 1826.
10	2201	10	Cobb Cashier Quantity of Alloy that might be sold as old material
18	2236½	18	A.L. Frazier. Resigns.
14	2221	14	Cochran. 10 — 2200½ — 10 Goodman. Mrs Johnstons illness Relative to Bars from Kansas City Smelting Co. being wet.
15	2223	15	Receipt of H. P. Newlin for Pattern pieces, Dimes of 1792 & Pattern 20¢ Silver of 1874
15	2223½	15	A.M. Norris. Bracelet for her Mothers, Returns to Milledgeville.
30	2269	28.	S.D. Kimball. Supt. Life Saving Service. Your Bill in the sum of $2 for one Life Saving Medal is approved. Referred to First. Auditor of Treas.
31	2273½	31.	J B Carson. Will trans: Silver from Mint to P.O. at usual rate.
31	2273	31	Harry A. Chester List of Dies destroyed this day for the year. 1885.
1886			January
Jan		Jan	M. H. Maurice His Resignation.
12	2317	12	
20	2329½	20	M. H. Cobb. Relative to facilitating business in the coining room
			February
5	2397	4	W. H. Sewell. Encloses Copy of a resolution agreed to by the S. Senate, as to Medals to be placed in Library of Congress & asks to be furnished with information character & number of such Medals, events commemorated, designs, & designers thereof.

1886. February.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
6	2403	6	E. R. Helmbold Reports J. J. Conner, laborer for neglect of duty.
6	2405	6	M. H. Cobb. Transfer Letter, No. 234. for $7.000. in quarter Eagles cannot be paid owing to stock of quarter Eagles being less than 500.
8	2409	8	R. A. McClure Recommends accepting Mr Newlins offer of a pattern 5ct Piece & a Proof Dollar of 1879, in exchange for a duplicate Dollar of 1879.
13	2425	13	R. A. McClure. Does not recommend Mr Newlins offer to exchange. With Remarks.
15	2429½	15	Jno McArthur. Architect New City Hall. Had an interview after seeing Supt with M. E. Bell, Esq, Supervising Architect of Treasy Dept, & gave him Supts views & Suggestions relative to proposed enlargement of the Mint.
23	2457	23	Saml Eames. Transmits Drawing relating to improvement of the chasers of the Kent amalgating machine, with Remarks.
23	2457½	22	Jno Jordan. Henry M Lewis. and others Asking for increase of pay.
			March
4	2487	3	H. S. Cochran. Weigh Clerk. Statement of U.S. Coin Recd at Phila. Mint and received from Jany 1. 1850 to Dec. 31. 1885. by actual count & weigh books.
12	2540	12	M. H. Cobb. The time occupied in raising Silver to second Floor of P. O. is about 10 minutes daily.

1886. March. April.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
12	2541	12	E. R. Helmbold. Says they arrive every day at P.O. at 15 to 20 minutes to 1 & the whole 100,000 dollars inside of 40 minutes. The actual use of elevator does not average 20 minutes each day.
19	2578½	19.	A. L. Vandergrift. Chief Engineer. Report upon his Dept.
29	2615	27	M. H. Cobb. Report of inspection of vault at New Post Office, Phila to ascertain strength of the supports.
25	2602½	25	Jno. Hurst. Relative to lighting the Basement.
			April.
5	2649	5	M. H. Cobb. Gives dimensions of non Burglar Proof vaults.
5	2649½	5	Saml James. Relative to the better ventilation of the basement of the Phila Mint
29	2773	29	M. H. Cobb. Relative of Storage vaults of the Mint, & the absolute necessity of improvement in vault no. 6.
			November 1885.
24	2127½	24	From Supt Loy to Mr. Rickode. Chief Clerk. Requests security from all Clerks and Asts to U. S. Govt.

1883, March, April, May, June, July, Aug.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch		Mch	
19	286	17	Calls attention to a grave Error in the published proceedings of the last Annual Assay
Apl			
17	407	17	Requests promotion of Alvin M. Brinkle to the position vacated by H. L. Pound.
17	408	17	Howard L. Pound, Assistant Resignation
May		May	
25	551	25	Reply to F. L. Blake, Supt Pa Lead Co. complaining of incorrect assays of Silver Bars sold by Hendy & Bonisa
June		June	
15	649	14	Working force barely sufficient, but satisfactory.
21	670	21	Will be absent two days.
July		July	
2	713	2	Fineness of Butte & Colo. Co's Bars.
6	730	6	Recommends increased Compensation for Llewellyn R. Crawford, Weigher
25	797	25	Requests the appt of Patterson Du Bois as Acting Assayer pro tem.
Aug		Aug	
10	857	10	Nominating Patterson Du Bois, as Acting Assayer, whenever the Assayer is absent.
Sept		Sept	
20	968	20	Has verified a set of Gold Assay Weights from Henry Troemner.

~~1883, Sept 4~~ 1884, Jany 1

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Jany 3	11	Jany 3	Reports destruction of Dies of 1883.
Feb 7	146	Feb 6	In Explanation of disputed charge of $10.74 on Shipment #8, St Louis Assay Office.
Dec 4	1024	Dec 4	In reference to deposit received from Tennessee
Jan 3	9	Jan 3	Statement of the working and proof dies destroyed, as required by section 3550 Revised Statutes.
1883 June 10	503	10	Relative to change in the Tariff of Charges.
July 14	614	14	Requests opinion on certain rules.
27	671	27	Relative to Foreign Coin deposited in N.Y. Office & Melted into Bars.
August 14	777	14	Relative to deficit in our report upon Silver Bars of Chicago S. & R. Co.
28	827	28	Assay of Colorado Bars.
September 9	911	9	Result of Assay of Bars recd from Denver Mint.

September. November. December: January.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
9	914	9	Relative to inquiries if why refining charges were charged on the whole mass required to be refined
17	961	16	Recommends the purchase of 8 volumes on Oriental Coins. @ $42.50
30	962	30	Assay of Bars reed from Denver Mint.
			November.
3	2034	3	Relative to difference in Assays between Philad & Denver.
1886			January
Jan		Jan	
2	2276	2	In conformity with Sec. 3530. Rev. Statutes, sends a list of all Dies destroyed for 1885.
			March
8	2506	8	Explanation of Error in Deposit No 1931.
24	2597½	24	Relative to an Exchange of a set of Phila. Mint Assay rolls for a set now in use at Denver Mint, built by Orr & Hess.
			April.
7	2674	7	Relative to a couple of Bars of Copper from the Copper Queen Consolidated Co. A.T.
30	2774	30	Calls attention to condition of Kansas Bars. Lot 110. 111.

1883, March, May, June, Aug.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
5 Mch	233½	5 Mch	Percentage of Loss in Milling & Cleaning Brown 1 ¢ blanks. 3 Experiments = 2¼% average.
10	255	10	Has requested removal of ½ tierce pkgs for Porcelain Pots. Several pots broken.
7 May	243½	7 May	List of Employes discharged since Mch 4/79, & the reasons for the same.
14	513	14	Copper not suited to our purpose, purchased from N. Trotter & Co.
June 11	626	June 11	Recommends a well at the N. W. corner of the Mint to collect the precious metals condensing in the roof.
15	650	15	Annual settlement will prove satisfactory. Working force scarcely sufficient, under the heavy pressure.
29	704½	29	There has been no wastage in Refining Gold or Silver during the current Fiscal year
18	766	18	Wants a more complete Statement of Transfer Bars rec'd yesterday from the N. Y. A. Off.
Aug. 1	815	Aug 1	Nominating N. B. Boyd as Acting M. & B. whenever the M. & B. is absent.
13	862	13	Explains the Mint process of Parting & Refining Gold and Silver Bullion. [This in reply to inquiry by Prof. Thomas Egleston of N. Y. August 4/83.]
28	895	28	Explaining how Daily Skimmings & Sweeps are collected & disposed of.

1883, September, Nov. Dec. 1884 Jan

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Sept 6	921	Sept 6	Forwards Statement Gross and Std ozs. through Refinery for last Fiscal Year.
18	959	18	A. B. Boyd Acting M & R Reports the M & R. temporarily absent.
Nov 9	1099	Nov 9	Melting Reports for October, 1883, Mismatching of Bars.
14	1116	14	Practical objections to Joseph Wharton's offer to furnish alloy for mint coinage, 50% Nickel, & 50% Copper.
Dec. 1	1167	Dec 1	Refers am 9/10 decimal system of fineness for coins, to 925 fine.
6	1188	6	Not good policy to purchase Gold Bullion in the Mints
27	1234	27	The Kind of Copper best adapted to our use in coinage (Copy Ltr to)
1884			
Jan 26	90	Jan 26	Sends copy of his letter to Gen. B. Newton & Co. about bad quality of coal delivered.
Feb 6	143	Feb 6	Complains of the Pulverized Charcoal furnished by John R. Rowand. Advises purchase for the present from Charles Wright

1884, Mch, June, July - Sept - Oct

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch 1	214	Mch 1	Submits Report on Refining for January 1 1884. Explanatory comments.
17	263	17	Directions in Silver necessary to get out the requisite number of Silver & Nickel melts.
June 14	507	June 13	Recommending that the Water in the Sump Well be changed from pumping into the Culvert, to the Settling Well.
July 1	563	July 1	In wastage of Gold or Silver incurred in parting and refining Bullion during the Fiscal year ended June 30.
15	615	15	Amount of Muriatic Acid used during Fiscal year ended June 30 1884.
18	633		Waste Acids not worth collecting and handling.
Sept 22	801	Sept 22	The amount of Gross ozs of Bullion and of Std Gold & Silver sent to the Refinery from July 1st 1883 to June 30 1884.
Oct 4	831	Oct 4	Requesting appointment of Alfred Thwaite as a helper in Melting Room.
9	839	9	In reference to the proper price of Black Lead Crucibles
10	843	10	Number of Melts from July 1st 1883 to June 30 1884.
13	848	13	Enclosing corrected report for Dec 1883 and January 1884.

1884 October.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
17	866	17	In reference to Director's letter drawing attention to error in tabulated statement.
21	878	21	In reference to Director's letter drawing attention to diminished percentage of Gold coin produced.
29	909	28	In reference to Director's letter of October 1883 relative to the identity of the Statement of ounces refined.
Dec			
15	1058	15	Referring to the appearance, and other properties of the so called Gold grain deposit.
Feb	1885	Feb	
20	190	20	Announcing death of Thomas McLean Asst in Sweep Cellar.
27	206	26	Requesting temporary leave of absence for Mr John Burke.
April	1885		
29	387½	29	List of Employees in Department
May			
14	433	14	In relation to the discharge of Hawkins.
June			
8	497	8	Relative to the reduction of charges for refining refining Gold & Silver.
13	509	13	Relative to size of Kansas bars.

1885 July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
6	574	6	Weight of Spelter.
7	582	7	Refinery report for the Months of April - May 1885.
14	608	14	Relative to Man at Hoist way.
16	627	16	Relative to Water on Front Basement.
18	641	18	Relative to Chapman refusing to work & Aspinall leaving early without permission.
18	641½	18	Has tested heat of melting room.
23	661	23	Reply to Prof Egleston.
27	669	27	Recommends trying Crucibles of different Firms before giving contracts.
27	672	27	Relative to allowing time to workmen.

August

3	707	3	Has tried the Coal furnished by G.B. Newton & H.C. Cook and decides in favor of the former.
4	711	4	Marks & numbers of Bars that were stolen from M. & R.
7	736	7	Relative to discharge of men from this Dept.
14	776	14	Relative to size of Silver Bars recd from Boston & Colo. Smelting Co. & Kansas City Smelting Co.
26	822	26	Makes authority to have boxes lined with Copper.
X 24	822½	24	Copy. Calls attention to Silver Bars deposited, Remarks.

1885 August

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
28	826	28	Balances is not accurate & suggests that Mr Troemner should fix it.
19	Sept 979½	19	In relation to use of Alcohol for cleaning Metallic Surfaces
			September.
8	904	8	Presents accounts of Parting & refining Gold & Silver Deposits for month of July.
× 2			
2	855½	2	Solicits Transfer of Thomas Malloy to his roll.
12	930	12	Asks for the discharge of E.K. Krout.
12	923½	12	In regard to reappointment of James A Berger.
24	933	24	Relative to allowance of weight for dust on bars.
25	933¼	25	Agreably to request has prepared Table of all the Employed on his roll. - with remarks.
24	934½	24	Relative to Wood Ashes.
× 2	847½	2	Has made trial of Black Lead Crucibles from Dixon Work L L.
26	946	26	Relative to stamping silver bars with numbers.
	946½	29	Cost of one days melting Silver Ingots.
26	949	26	Relative to Report of Employees in M & R.
30	953¾	30	Stats of deliveries of Standard, S. Ingots, Receipts of clippings, wages paid ordinary time — overtime, from July 1 to Sept 30. 1885 - arranged by monthly Statement.
		2	**October.**
my	985	30	Test of Crucibles report thereon.
9	986½	9	Relative to machinery in cellar, a sifting screen Lau Erickson Engine.
10	1007	10	Relative to Brittle Bars recd from St Louis Assay Office.
10	1008	10	Wants Borax.
16	1043	16	Cost of making Bronze Cents.
21	1084	21	Relative to time of men on different work & taking a/c of same
29	1061	19	Wants crucibles to be kept in the furnace room so that they may become thoroughly dry.
			November
* 14	2090	14	Reports resulting in drying & melting Silver bars from the Kansas City Smelting Co.
5	2039½	5	Relating to Supt wish to have a plan such as would exhibit at the accurate cost of working the coinage for each day

1885 November: December: 1886 Jan.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
20	2110	20	Barrels reced not fit to hold swaps. Old whiskey Barrels the only ones.
12	2072½	12	Explaining approval of Orr & Hess Bill, for repairs done to "Topper."
30	2156	30	Relative to storage Capacity for Ingots.
Dec.		Dec	
14	2222	14	Tests of Lard.
~~15~~	~~2223~~	~~15~~	
29	2262	29	Report of Melting Silver. Month of November 1885
1886			
Jan		Jan.	January
9	2309	9	Relative to Report on the average Gold wastage in making ingots for coins. Is astonished to find no monthly report since Apr 1885, altho' they were in his books
12	2319	12	Presents Monthly report on melting Silver for coinage. Dec. 1885 with explanatory comments.
12	2320	12	Presents Report of refining operations with explanatory comments
20	2349	20	Illness & absence for some days.
22	2357	22	Encloses Genl Statements of melting Gold & Silver during Oct. Nov. Dec.
29	2378	29	Complains that Bars are still sent, in spite of protest, too heavy for Crucibles, & suggests that such Depositors be told that Mint will abstract from return value the cost of the crucibles ruined.
30	2383½	30	Recommends Jos. I. Sullivan & Jno. Landy to be put on roll as Melters.

1886. February.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
12	2424	12	Presents daily returns of melting Silver for Jan. /86
20	2447	20	Relative to the Letter of Boston & Colorado Smelting Co of 15th inst, as to the most desirable weights in Bars of fine Silver.
25	2459	25	Wholly app's of Mr Saml James plans for the improvement of Amalgating Machine & hopes an order may be issued for executing his design.
26	2463	26	Regrets that it becomes his painfull duty to refer to Omaha Fine Silver Bars rec'd Feby 11. — with remarks
			March.
6	2498	6	Has rec'd Supt's letter of 27" with copy of one from Director saying that M & R. is responsible under his bond for the missing Bullion: Is advised that he is in no way responsible under his bond for this Bullion & invites suit on his Bond that same may be judicially determined. Adds remarks & Copy of Letter fr. former Supt.
11	2521	11	Says the Omaha Bar in which was found the iron, was rec'd by this Department on Feby 11. 1886. — being Mint No. 1225. — It was melted on 21" of Feby.
12	2539	11	Says the error on Dep. 1601. referred to in Letter of Director Mch 11. was due to an error in parting charge: The 25 cts is returned.
16" over.			
26	2606	26	Has deposited with Supt. 1980. 12 ounces Standard Silver, according to request, that Supt may give Mr Snowden receipt required.

1886. March.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
16	2535	16	Calls attention to Silver Bars from Platt & Co being "overweight".
30	2617½	30	Relative to request that C. E. Knight should be put in "Stults" place.
31	2619	31	Encloses Copy of Com. addressed to Hon. J. P. Kimball Director. Relative to the 1980.12 ounces L. Silver to be deposited by him.
31	2621	24	Hugo Schuer resignation.
17	2563½	17	Relative to M & R. being responsible for the Bullion contained in lost Bars.

April.

10	2691½	10	Sends table representing the number of Melts made of Standard Silver from Feby 1. 1885. to Feby 1. 1886.
26	2759	26	Wishes correction made on the roll, so that Chas. E. Knight shall be noted as a "Melter" & Jas. B. Runkwiler as a "Helper"

1883, March, April, May, June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch 6	236	6	Regsts the immediate removal of John Lord, Coining Room, for cause.
8	248½	7	List of employes who left since Mch 1/1879, & the causes for the same.
6	237	6	(Confidential) Charges against John Lord, Coining Room.
Apl 7	366½	Apl 7	Transmits alphabetical list of his employes; their work, Compensation & Residence
Apl 14	395	13	Mary J. McKibbin, Attendant, Resigned.
May 18	526	May 17	Recommends that the position of Foreman of the Rolling Room be abolished; & that Thos. H. Wilson be dropped from the Rolls June 15, with 2 weeks Holiday, from the 31st inst.
May 5	479½	May 5	Estimated cost of Striking 1,000 Medals, Half Dollar size.
June 16	655	June 16	Annual Settlement reported to be satisfactory. Will be ready to resume work after annual Settlement. Male force sufficient. Female force also needed.
19	664	19	Repairs suggested.
26	690	26	List of Dies used in Striking Medals for the Indian Service.
July 2	714	July 2	Regsts appt of W. J. Steel as Acting Coiner pro tem
Aug 1	816	Aug 1	Nominating Wm. S. Steel, as Acting Coiner, whenever the Coiner is absent.

1883, August, Sept, Oct, Nov. 1884, Jany, Feby, Mch

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Aug 10	852	Aug 10	Expects to be absent until the 3rd Sept / 83.
Sept 4	911	Sept 4	Death of Albert Singer, Mutter.
Oct 6	1011	Oct 6	Enclosing Resignation of Miss Anna T. Baker as Adjuster, to take effect Nov. 1 / 83.
Nov 14	1117	Nov 14	Requisition for 1 doz. new adjusting Scales.
1884			
Jany 2	5	Jany 2	Enclosing Report of the destruction of Dies of 1883, Also, counted Statements of Coinage for Nov / 83, and for the year / 83.
11	49	11	Number of Trade Dollars struck in 1883.
19	74	—	Mem. Report on claim of Mrs. G. W. Brewster against H. C. Little for unpaid bills.
Feb 18	178½	Feb 16	Result of the Count of the Pf pieces not used by the Assay Commissioners
Mch 10	239	Mch 8	Submits for the Director, 2 leaves from the Coiner's Gold & Silver Work Book - that, in loose sheets, would serve for Monthly Reports &c.

1884, Mch; Apl

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Mch 28	282	Mch 28	Regrets much loss of Service from continued ill-health of Mess Drops James Trumbrawer from the Rolls, for that reason; absent 4 months.
31	288	31	Forwards Resignation of Miss Newbold an Adjuster.
Apl 1	292	Apl 1	Withdraws the nomination of John Crawford, as Roller; and substitutes Hillary Conner.
Apl 3	302	Apl 3	Requests discharge of E. F. Kennedy, Cutter, for continued absence without leave.
7	316	7	Forwards Report for 1st Quarter 1884 of Proof coins & Medals; & the metal used.
9	327	9	Needs 3 more men appointed in his department.
21	369	21	Report on imperfect 1/2 Dollar of 1877, from Rev. J. A. Boyce, Stony Fork, Tioga Co. Pa.
22	371	22	Application for Leave of Absence for Miss Louisa M. Todd, Adjuster until Sept 1/84, to attend the Woman's Hospital, for her health.
23	380	23	Reasons for nominating N. S. Beekly, as Foreman of the Coining Room.

1884 May, June, July, August, Oct.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 9	417	May 9	Wants windows in East side of Coining room changed from sash doors to hung sashes, so that they may be raised and lowered
13	424	13	Forwards resignation of Andrew Stiff Weigher in Coining room
21	540	21	Estimate of price at which Blaine & Logan Medals can be struck
July 1	565	July 1	Death of Henry Ingham Annealer.
10	592	10	Requests that John Crawford be transferred from Cutter to Annealer.
29	668	29	Enclosing Resignation of Emma H Stevenson Adjuster to take effect July 31st 1884.
Aug 28	738	Aug 27	Resignation of Miss Lorenza Schmitz.
29	745½	29	Recommending Mr James Beale.
Oct 20	870	Oct 18	Report of Silver workings for August and Sept. respectively.
21	877	21	In reference to Director's letter relative to the small percentage of Gold Coin, made during Fiscal Year ending June 30. 1884.
24	893	24	Resignation of Miss S Hamrick
Nov 8	935	Nov 8	Requests that the name of Miss May Baldridge be dropped from the Rolls.

1884 May / 1885 Jan April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
May 3	400½	May 3	Encloses Sample for 3 "Cent Pieces", also Sample of two blank books for the receipts and deliveries of Gold Bullion
Nov 25	994	Nov 25	Resignation of Miss Helen E Bunten Assistant.
20	994½	20	Suggesting that a new Coining Press be procured to take the place of the one sent to New Orleans
17	993½	17	Requesting the purchase of two dozen balances
Dec 29	1095	Dec 29	Relative to the fact that the Comes makes no mention of the Manipulation of Gold Ingots during the Month of November.
Jan 2	3	Jan 2	Statement of Dies used in the Coinage of 1884
7	26	7	In reference to Actual Cost of manufacturing Copper-Bronze Medals.
10	43	10	Encloses reports for the fourth quarter ending Dec 31st 1884.
19	73½	19	Ch. Forgas & a bill against him.
16	67	15	Enclosing resignation of C C Bodyfield Coiner.
Feb 20	189	Feb 20	Announcing death of Wm Patton Annealer.
Mar 19	274	19	Furnishes estimate of the amount of Labor and steam and wear of Machinery in Striking 5000 Medals half dollar size.
April 17	358	17	Statement of the operation of Refining Gold + Silver during Dec. 1884 and Jany. + Febry. 1885. delay caused by steam being shut off owing to repairs to boiler.

1885 April – May.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
23	372	23	Resignation of John H. Haines to take effect this date.
28	385½	28	List of Employees to be dropped.
	May		
1	391	1	Requests approval of N. H. Evans, from annealer to a cleaner in this department.
12	426	12	Relative to Mr De Hass being dropped.
	June		
24	548	24	There is no wastage in my Refinery operations for current fiscal year.
20	648½	18	Annie S. Bousfield's Resignation,
	July		
13	565	13	Proposes to deposit the value of the 3 Silver Bars that have disappeared from the Mint with the Fidelity or such company as may be agreed upon.
8	566	8	In relation to the 3 Silver Bars stolen from the Mint
8	588	8	Resignation Eliza G Handy.
13	606	13	Resignation of Lucy Harper.
18	642	18	Recommends the employment of temporary Adjusters
17	635½	17	Illness of Mrs Parr.
20	649	20	Resignation of Miss Sallie E. Davis

1885 July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
23	660	23	Mrs. Warfield resigned.
22	658½	22.	Nominates Mrs Conochie, who declines.
30	688	30	Resignation of Miss A.B. Zeller.
31	695	31	Miss Matilda Beam resigned
31	694	31	Mrs Oliver Resigned.
			August. 1885
1	702	1	Resignation of Miss A. E. Noble.
6	730½	6	Ayd. Coining press & Papers relating thereto,
7	735	7	Mrs Gregory not reported for duty. M. Spicht sick for a Month.
			September.
12	935	12	Names of Men who refused to work
26	948	26	Encloses list of names of Employees with their residences & wards.
			October.
26	1082	26	Resignation of Clara A Hiet.
31	2015	28	Relative to Cutting Machine.
			November.
3	2021	2	Transmits list of articles belonging to this Department.
21	2126	21	Have delivered balance of $40,000 of Dimes per your letter of 12th inst.

1885 November. December.—1886. Jan.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
27 Dec.	2146	27 Dec.	Announcing death of Ezra Calhoun.
* Dec. 2. 26	2256	25	Relative to 15 Pieces said to be short in bags of Dimes at Chicago. Asst Treas.
17	2232½	17	Ask to Leave for dinner.
26	2257	29	Relative to Orr & Hess Co. Bills.
31	2271	31	Report of Dies that were used in the Coinage of 1885.
1886 Jan.		Jan	
4	2288	4	Relative to alleged Shortage of 1.50 in Dimes. Transfer Order No. 12993. Will enclose amount in Dimes $1.50
7	2298	6	Statement Showing number of Trade Dollars struck since. June. 30. 1878. They struck from proof Dies. none remaining on hand.
9	2310	9	Reports $14.000 delivered, in Dimes. to Cashier, in addn to 13.000 on 7th Inst.—Total of $27.000 for the week. An excess of 2000 of amount promised. Will proceed with Coinage until available bullion is used.
14	2330	14	Returns coat of 1820 & Says there is no doubt it was struck from genuine Dies.
16	2338	16	Report of Coinage of Dimes H.S.L.Ds up to date. All available Bullion for Dimes has now been coined.
27	2373½	27	Relative to "Small weights" for Balance.
* Dec. 2	2253½	2	Recommends Transfers as follows. Dan'l. S. Fuller to Chief weigher Wm Conn to Coiner Jno McCormick to Coining room

1886 March.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
31	2620	26	Mary C. Woodville, Designed.
			April.
2	2625	2	James Beale says he is entitled to more Salary $533.17. for acting Assistant to coiner from Feby to Sept 1885.
27	2747		Bessie Walsh. Designed.

1883, April, May, June

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Apl 10	372	Apl 10	8 S.S.D. Dies shipped to N. O. Mint.
12	383	12	Submits 3 designs for Hawaiian Coins. Estimated cost of hubs.
14	396	13	Proposed design of Charleston Medal & Costs
20	427	20	Estimated cost of Hubs for the Hawaiian Coinage, $3,800.—
21	434	20	Submits design for Charleston S.C. Medal.
May 2	467	May 2	Estimated cost of Charleston Medals, S.C.
10	496	10	The Buildings on the Charleston Seal, S.C.
26	558	26	Dies for Gold L.S. Medals & Attachments, are completed
June 11	627	June 11	Submits modified designs for the Hawaiian Coinage (Silver)
18	659	18	The force in this Dep't is taxed to see utmost.
July 21	783	July 5	Statement of Coinage & Medal Dies manufactured during the Fiscal Year ended June 30. 1883.
27	803	21	Reply to criticisms on the Attachments to L.S. Medals by Sec'y Folger, & Chas. Schlaar, designer.

1883, July, ~~Aug~~ Sept. Oct. Nov, Dec 1884 Jan

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
July 27	80426	July	Submits soft metal impressions of second mounting for L.S. Medals. Also, the 1st for comparison (Charles Schlaar's design). The 2nd has to be attached by the Jeweler.
Aug 1	817	Aug 1	Nominating Wm. H. Key, as Acting Engraver, whenever the Engraver is absent.
22	881½	22	Estimated cost of Dies for the Hawaiian Coinage.
Sept 5	916	Sept 4	Hubs for Hawaiian Coinage are completed. As many Dies can be furnished as may be need.
5	917	5	Requests appt of Wm. H. Key, as Acting Engraver, pro tem.
28	984	22	Number of Dies for Pattern Pieces in 1879.
Oct 24	1059	Oct 24	Has shipped 20 pairs Hawaiian Dies to the San Francisco Mint. What Basins required?
Nov 1	1074	Nov 1	Reports tampering with Dies at the San Francisco Mint.
Dec 11	1197	Dec 11	Verifying Scale of Diameters. Excepting.
1884 Jan 12	58	12	Changes in L.S. Medals were made many months ago, and reported to Washington many months ago.

1884, January, Feb. Mch. Apl. May, June, July

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
Jany 26	92	Jany 26	Hubs are completed for the Hawaiian Dimes.
25	197	25	Has shipped to the S. F. Mint 5 pairs Dies for Hawaiian Dimes.
Mch 6	229	Mch 6	Submits Designs for 3 new Army Marksmanship Medals - Obverse. They should be approved without delay.
Apl 5	312	Apl 5	Reports adversely on Wyn's 3 Reductions made on their transferring machine. Have made better improvements ourselves.
21	370	21	Reports against the Wyn Steel, Londn, Eng. after testing it.
18	365¼	18	Estimated cost of Mint Coinage Hubs & Dies for C. Carranza & Co. N.Y. - for Ecuador, S. A.
May 22	445	May 22	Submits for approval impressions in soft metal, of the "Skirmish" Prize Medals, after which the Dies will be hardened and the Medals struck
June 27	556	June 27	Have sent by Express, 20 pairs S.S.D. dies - to the San Francisco Mint,
July 7	583	July 7	Encloses Statement of Coinage and Medal Dies Made in 1883-84.
21	641	21	Estimated Cost of Engraving Hubs for Nickel Coinage of Ecuador

1884 July Sept Oct Nov Dec 1885 Jan

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
24 Sept	656	24 Sept	Forwards 10 pairs S.S.d Dies to Mint at N.O
11	773	11	Requests the temporary appointment of Wm H Key as acting Engraver.
21 Nov	879	21 Nov	Forwards ten Standard Silver Dollar Dies to Mint of the U.S. at New Orleans.
11	938	11	Forwards Dies for 1885 to Carson City Mint.
20	974	20	Forwards Dies to San Francisco Mint, being one half of order of Nov 7th 1884.
22	986	22	Requests that the title of Mess in this Department be changed from Machinist to Die Makers.
22 Dec	987	22 Dec	In reference to the condition of the Peabody Medal
3	1016	2	In reference to Sale of Old and useless Material.
11	1046	11	Forwards Dies to Mint of U.S. at San Francisco
22	1079	22	Sent 5 Std Silver dollar dies to Mint of U.S at New Orleans.
Jan 3	10	Jan 3	Statement of Dies destroyed, witnessed by Geo B Soley.
8	31	8	Forwards 10 obverse and 10 reverse dies to Mint of United States at New Orleans.
13	52	13	The Dies returned from the Mint of the U.S. at San Francisco, and New Orleans were found to agree with the lists sent.

1885 January - Feb. - Mar. - April

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
21 Feb	84	21 Feb	In reference to dies sent for inspection
4	129	4	Sends 5 pairs of dies to Mint of U.S. at San Francisco
Mar 5	231	Mar 5	Forwards to Mint at New Orleans the following Dies Half Dollar 2 Obverse and 2 Reverse Quarter Dollar 2 Obverse and 2 Reverse Also Feeder and Tube.
10	249	10	Sends by Adams Express to U.S. Mint at New Orleans 10 Obverse and 10 Reverse Std Dollar Dies.
April 24	376	24	Forwards Dies Calender year 1885 to Mint of the U.S. at New Orleans.

July

July 6	572	6	The Presidential Dies are finished & ready for striking medals.
10	598	7	List of Coinage & Medals Dies Manufactured at this mint during fiscal year ended June 30-85

August.

August 11	749	11	Have sent the following Dies to New Orleans ½ Eagle Obverse 2 Nos 24 - 25 ½ Eagle Reverse 2 Nos 24 & 25.
17	791	17	Sends two (2) Eagle Dies to New Orleans.

1885 September. Nov: Dec: 1886. Jan.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
1	848	1	Number of Eagle Dies + Cost of same furnished the New Orleans Mint since beginning of current fiscal year.
5	892	5	Have forwarded to San Francisco Mint 5 Double Eagle Dies obverse. No 17-18.19-2021.
28	949½	28	Reports completion of Medal Dies "Washington before Boston. Remarks
			November.
9	2022	9 Oct	Discharge of Geo Beatty.
* Oct 22	1063½	22	Reports finished Dies for Indian Peace Medals.
9	2060	9	Forwards Dies for 1886 to San Francisco Mint.
	Dec		
			December
2	2158	2	Relative to Dies for New Orleans for 1886. May not be able to prepare them unless ordered now.
21	2241	21	Forwarded to New Orleans Dies for 1886.
31	2272	31	List of all the regular Proof Coinage Dies furnished during the year 1885.
1886			
			January
Jan		Jan	
4	2289	4	Shipped to S. S. D. Dies to New Orleans.
8	2395	8	List of Dies forwarded to San Francisco Mint to complete their requisition of Oct 30/85.
			October
15	1044½	15	
			February
27	2469	20	List of medal Dies wanting, with remarks.

1886. March.

Date Rec'd	No.	Date	SUBJECT
2	2476	2	Forwards this day to U.S. Mint: R.O. the following, as part of their requisition for Coinage Dies. 10. Obverse. Standard Dollars Dies. 10. Reverse. " " "
20	2587	20.	Has forwarded to San. Francisco Mint, per order of 15th Inst. the following Dies. 5. Obverse Eagles 5. Reverse " 5. Obverse. half Eagles 5. Reverse "
8	2506½	8	Relative to price paid by U.S. Govt to Gulleau & Dupré Engravers of Paris in 1779. for Dies for making Medals, etc. etc.

April.

2	2624	2	Forwards today to San Francisco Mint, the following Dies, balance of order of 15th Inst. 5. Eagle. Obverse. 5 " . Reverse 5. ½ Eagle. Obverse. 5. " Reverse.
8	2679	8	Has forwarded to mint at R.O; following Standard Dies, to complete order of Dec.8 1885. 10. Obverse. L. Dole. 10. Reverse. "
27	2747		Re